

WEATHER FORECASTS
Victoria and vicinity—strong winds or
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ROB PAYMASTER NEAR CITY HALL

Vancouver Bandits Get Seventy-Six Thousand Dollars of Civic Payroll in Daring Raid in Busy District

MAN WHO HIRED CAR FOR GANG IDENTIFIED

Entire Mainland Police Department Turned to Man Hunt of Most Daring Robbery Committed in City

VANCOUVER, Sept. 29.—The most spectacular robbery in Vancouver's history occurred this morning shortly after 10 o'clock, when three men held up Robert Armstrong and F. P. Schooley of the city hall staff and robbed them of cash amounting to \$76,000.

Armstrong and Schooley had been to the Bank of Montreal, Hastings and Richards streets, to get the civic payroll. They returned on a street car and had just alighted at the corner of Main and Pender when three men stepped from an automobile which had just turned on to Pender from Main Street. They got the satchel, leaped into their car again and sped away.

Robbers Are Young Men
In a few minutes the city hall was full of police and detectives. The robbers are described as young men, attired in raincoats.

Armstrong's story as told within a few minutes of the robbery is as follows: "Shortly before 10 o'clock Mr. Schooley and myself left the city hall by automobile for the Bank of Montreal, corner of Richards and

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TURK DEFIANCE ANGERS BRITISH

Virtual Ultimatum Sent to Kemal to Quit Chanak Zone and Enforcement Powers Given to Harington

LONDON, Sept. 29.—The events of the next few days probably will be influenced by the outcome of the meeting of M. Franklin Bouillon, the French envoy sent by the Paris government to Asiatic Turkey, with Mustafa Kemal Pasha, the Turkish Nationalist leader.

The policy the British authorities have pursued in the face of continued opposition of the Kemalists in the region of Chanak is believed here to have been due partly to the absence of definite information as to how far Great Britain could depend upon French and Italian support in the event of hostilities with the Kemalists.

An agreement with the Ankara Government, concluded some time ago by M. Franklin Bouillon, included a clause under which France undertook not to engage in military operations against the Turks in Asia Minor.

In Favor of Peace
Reports from Constantinople are to the effect that Mustafa Kemal is in favor of peace, but on the other hand, the Associated Press correspondent asserts that the French and Italian generals in the Turkish capital express the opinion that the British ought to withdraw from Chanak to confine themselves to the European side of the Gallipoli Peninsula. It is expected that the meeting between M. Franklin Bouillon and Kemal will make the actual situation clear.

Virtual Ultimatum
The situation as revealed here today following an important cabinet meeting, appeared that the British Government has arrived nearly at the end of its patience. What is said to have been virtually an ultimatum demanding that the Turkish troops quit the Chanak zone has been sent to Kemal, and after the cabinet meeting it was said that Brigadier-General Harington had been informed that he would have the full support of the government in taking whatever steps he considered advisable to bring the Turkish occupation of forbidden zone to an end and thus terminate the grave situation which was considered nothing less than Turkish defiance to the British Empire and in direct contravention of the terms of the Allied note.

The British Government's view regarding this note is that if one part of it is broken, the whole of it becomes ineffective. It was added that the British Government no longer will be satisfied with Kemal's promises that his troops will advance no further, but will require the actual withdrawal.

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BURNING AND KILLING, CHARGE AGAINST GREEKS

SOFIA, Sept. 29.—Turkish refugees, numbering 240, from the village of Sevara, in Thrace, arrived at the Bulgarian frontier yesterday, declaring that they had been forced to flee to escape Greek terrorism. The Greeks, they asserted, surrounded the village, burned their homes, and killed a part of the population.

BIG WAR INEVITABLE DIPLOMATIC OPINION

Old British Policy That Strong Turkey Would Continue to Menace Europe May Cause Crisis—Preparations for Long Campaign by British Troops in Near East

THOUGHT MOSCOW WILL OFFER HELP TO KEMAL

LONDON, Sept. 29.—The possibilities presented by the Greek revolution continued to dominate the Near East situation today, particularly as regards the action the Greek army may take in Thrace, with the British Cabinet sitting almost continuously.

The long and frequent consultations of the Ministers are in themselves taken as sufficient evidence of the gravity with which approaching events are viewed, while the London newspapers are appearing with headlines and issuing news posters in which the word "grave" is frequently used. The Cabinet is said to be occupied with many details involving preparations for a long campaign by the British troops, irrespective of matters of general policy.

SEE ADVANTAGES IN NEW TARIFF

Three U.S. Shingle Firms Seeking Sites in British Columbia Through Duty on Canadian Cedar Logs

VANCOUVER, Sept. 29.—That the new American tariff will benefit British Columbia in many ways is the opinion expressed by some manufacturers and business men of Vancouver who have been studying the effect of the new imports.

Canadians of this Province welcome the two-cent duty on raw salmon and halibut, for they have long advocated measures that would serve to retain the fish for canning in this Province. Last year about 92,720 hundredweight of raw fish went to the United States. The new duty, it is stated, has virtually killed the demand in the American market.

Seek British Columbia Sites
Negotiations are said to be proceeding by three United States shingle firms for sites for mills in British Columbia.

British Columbia Shingles
Faced with a duty on Canadian cedar logs and imported shingles on the free list, they say they have no alternative.

The annual export of shingles from Canada to the United States has averaged more than two billion, practically all from British Columbia, and it is estimated that at least an extra billion will be marketed in the next twelve months, south of the border.

BRITISH LEADER KNOWN LOCALLY

As Chief of Staff of Canadian Army, Brig.-Gen. "Tim" Harington Won Many Friends During War

Canadians who served in France during the early months of the war knew Brigadier-General Sir Charles Harington, commander of the British forces in Constantinople, probably better than any other Imperial army officer who was associated with the corps.

"Tim" Harington, as he was familiarly known to his fellow officers, is now regarded by military experts as one of the ablest British soldiers of modern history, and a Victoria Cross winner who served with him in France, and who added to his military reputation by his civilian work as a leader of the Red Cross, and as a man who himself gained distinction in the war.

General Harington's military reputation among staff officers of the British Empire and in direct contravention of the terms of the Allied note. The British Government's view regarding this note is that if one part of it is broken, the whole of it becomes ineffective.

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OFFERS OF SERVICE POUR INTO OTTAWA

Whole Regiments Volunteer—Canadian Aboard and U.S. Citizens Would Join in Fight
OTTAWA, Sept. 29.—Offers of service in the event of war with Turkey continue to pour into militia headquarters in increasing numbers. In some instances these offers include whole regiments and companies, while individual volunteers are also being received.

Volunteering is not confined to Canada, although it was stated at the department this morning that practically every city and town in the Dominion was represented in the offers already received. Canadians in the United States and American citizens who have either served with the Canadian forces in the Great War or volunteered to do so in the Turkish trouble are urging their willingness to enlist.

FLEET WATCHES OVER NEAR EAST

Two 34,000-Ton Superdreadnoughts Lead Force of Greater Destructive Power Than Grand Fleet

POWERFUL BOMBING AIRCRAFT IN WAITING

Formidable Line Which Faces Savage Turk Should He Attempt to Cross Straits Protects Entrenched Troops

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 29.—A formidable fighting force in floating fortresses and powerful bombing and combat aircraft together possessed of greater destructive power than the British grand fleet at Scapa Flow, now guards the great international waterway of the Near East from the narrows of the Black Sea.

Britain's gigantic armada in these waters is led by the two 34,000-ton superdreadnoughts Revenge and Resolution. Then come the three formidable battlecruisers, Centurion, King George and Iron Duke. Some of the superdreadnoughts possess ponderous 16-inch guns, having a range of 20 miles. The remainder of the British naval fighting force here consists of a number of the most modern cruisers, destroyers and the air carriers Pegasus and Argus.

The British are confident that this formidable line of fighting ships will easily prove a stone wall barrier to the Kemalists should the latter attempt to cross the Straits. It is also thought they will be a sufficient protection for the troops entrenched at Chanak and other points.

MACDONALD IS PRESIDENT AGAIN

British Columbia Liberals Sit Till Midnight to Wind Up Business of the Convention at Nelson

NELSON, B.C., Sept. 29.—The British Columbia Liberal convention wound up its deliberations shortly after midnight tonight after passing a large number of resolutions in the various sessions of the day.

One resolution suggested the co-operation of all provincial and federal governments to provide an outlet for the Pouce Coupe settlers, and in that connection Premier Oliver announced he was in wire communication with the Hon. J. D. McCreery, of Alberta, on the subject of a possible extension of the Edmonton and Dunsmuir line to that territory.

A resolution introduced by Vernon announced the Minister of Customs to immediately invoke the anti-dumping legislation in the case of United States fruit, and the resolution was wired to the minister.

Another resolution approved the steps being taken by the Government to build a new bridge over the Fraser River.

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PERSONAL PROPERTY TAX TO BE DEBATED

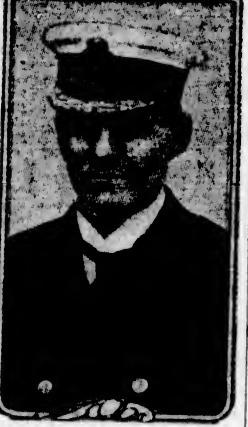
Retail Merchants Will Prepare Recommendations for Legislature at Conference Set for October 18

VANCOUVER, Sept. 29.—A conference of all provincial branch presidents and secretaries of the British Columbia branch of the Retail Merchants' Association of Canada will be held here on October 18, when the recommendations which will be made at the coming session of the Provincial Legislature will be discussed.

During the present month, personal property tax and taxation matters generally will be the principal topics of consideration.

Every branch of the association in British Columbia has been asked to announce resolutions which it wishes to have endorsed for presentation at the conference, and every branch and trade association is asked to send a delegate to the conference here on October 18.

Bellicose Reply to British Note Brings War Clouds Nearer



ADMIRAL OSMOND D. B. BROCK, C.B., in command of the British superdreadnoughts guarding the great international waterway of the Near East from the narrows of the Black Sea.

Hostile Tenor of Kemal's Reply to Brigadier-General Harington Regarded as Closing Door to Pacific Settlement of Straits Question—Conflict More Evident

ONLY TURK MODIFICATION WILL AVERT HOSTILITIES

Retirement of All British Troops and Cessation of "Arbitrary Measures" of British in Dealing With Turkish Population in Constantinople Among Ottoman Demands

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 29.—The situation between the British and the Turkish Nationalists was extremely tense tonight. A note from Mustafa Kemal Pasha to Brigadier-General Harington, the British commander, couched in a hostile tenor, was considered by British military circles here as closing the door to a pacific settlement of the Straits' question. The prospects of an armed conflict were considered more evident than previously.

Demands Troops Retire
The note of Kemal demands the retirement of all the British troops from the Asiatic side of the Straits, as the French and Italians have done, and says in case of acquiescence he will withdraw the Nationalist forces "slightly" from the neutral zone.

It also demands the cessation of what are termed the arbitrary measures of the British authorities in Constantinople, in dealing with the Turkish population and a solemn undertaking that no Greek vessel shall be permitted to pass the Dardanelles. It concludes with a protest against the destruction of Turkish war material in the Straits.

The note of Kemal was in reply to the last written communication of General Harington, transmitted through Hamid Bey, the Nationalist representative in Constantinople, to Kemal in Smyrna.

Sterner Measures Necessary
It is felt in British circles tonight that they would be forced to modify their conciliatory attitude at the moment the Turkish bring up heavy artillery with which they would be able to threaten seriously the European side of the Dardanelles and also hamper passage of British vessels through the Straits.

Six submarines of the British Atlantic fleet have arrived and will be used to prevent the transportation of Turkish troops across the Sea of Marmora. In the event of war, the British also have posted batteries in strategic positions on the heights of Chanak, eastward of Scutari and at Mal-Tepeli, on the Haidar Pasa railway, facing the Prinkipo Island. These positions are on the Asiatic side of the Bosphorus, a short distance from Constantinople.

Confess While French Envoys
Some optimism was felt today after the meeting between M. Franklin Bouillon, the French envoy, and Mustafa Kemal Pasha at Smyrna, where there was a conference on the general situation. Later, while on the way to Eski-Shehr, Kemal received a message calling him to Ankara to discuss with the government the Nationalist reply to the Allied demands. Therefore, General Harington has postponed his departure for Mudania to meet Kemal. Meanwhile the Turkish leader has given assurance that his troops will not advance further than the neutral zone.

Possession of Thrace
The belief prevails in British military circles that Greece may be asked to evacuate Thrace by October 15. This would permit the Kemalists to enter Thrace by ports on the Sea of Marmora, avoid a violation of the Straits and satisfy the Kemal demand for possession of Thrace, before the proposed peace conference begins.

May Block Greek Mainland
It is held that the Greek revolution has radically altered the Thracian situation and that there is no certainty the new Athens government will be able to maintain an efficient army there, even pending the settlement of peace. It is suggested that if Greece refuses to evacuate Thrace an Allied fleet may block the Greek mainland.

It is feared that only a radical modification of Kemal's bellicose attitude can avert a clash between the British and the Turks. If Kemal persists in his demand for the evacuation of the Asiatic side of the Straits, it is believed the British in no circumstances will alter their firmly expressed resolve to preserve the inviolability of the international waterway.

General Thomas Marden, who has superseded General Shuttleworth in command of the British forces at Chanak, is supremely confident of the ability of his forces to resist the strongest attacks of the Kemalists.

FIVE MEN KILLED
JOHNSON CITY, Ill., Sept. 29.—Five men were killed and three injured in an explosion in the Lake Creek mine of the Consolidated Coal Company this morning. Approximately 200 men were in the mine when the blast occurred.

GREEK REPUBLIC IS FORECAST

Former Premier Venizelos' Cooperation Invited—Constantinople and Family Granted Ship and Asked to Leave

PARIS, Sept. 29.—An Athens dispatch to the Havas Agency says political circles in the Greek capital are of the opinion that King George's reign will not be long and that a republic will be established.

The dispatch says Alexandre Caranos, former minister of foreign affairs, is likely to head the new cabinet, and the revolutionary committee is declared to have already telegraphed former Premier Venizelos, asking him to represent Greece's interest in the Allied capital and at the coming peace conference.

Royalist officers and reactionaries were arrested at the outset of the revolutionary movement, but they, as well as the political prisoners, have been released.

It is understood that General Nider is slated to become commander-in-chief of the army. Political police, who so long terrorized Athens have vanished.

According to the dispatch a ship will be put at the disposal of Constantinople by the revolutionaries and he and his family will be asked to leave Greece.

Former Premier Venizelos received the following telegram here today: "The revolutionary committee expresses its entire confidence in you in charging you with the defence of the national cause and solicits your immediate co-operation."

OWES MORE MONEY THAN THERE IS IN WORLD—BANKRUPT

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 29.—Because he owes more money than there is in the world, George Thomas Jones, a resident of San Jose, filed a petition in bankruptcy today. Jones affirmed that the amount due his principal creditors was \$404,040,322.37,131.41, and was an actual judgment against him by the superior court of Santa Clara county.

In 1897 he borrowed \$100 from Henry B. Stuart at 10 per cent a month interest, compounded quarterly. Recently Stuart took action to recover. The court held against Jones.

DESTROYERS AND MEN ON WAY TO NEAR EAST

GIBRALTAR, Sept. 29.—The British leader Wallace, with eight destroyers of the first flotilla of the British Atlantic fleet, arrived here today en route to the Near East.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Sept. 29.—The arrival yesterday of 3,000 British troops, fresh from England, brought joy among the European population of Constantinople.

EMPRESS ASHORE IN BAY OF FUNDY

ST. JOHN, N.B., Sept. 29.—The Canadian Pacific Railway Company's steamer Empress, plying between St. John and Digby, N.S., went ashore tonight near Mispec, N.B., in the Bay of Fundy. The vessel was on her way to this port with passengers. Early reports did not state whether there was any loss of life.

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SUMMER RESORTS HAD RECORD SEASON

Beautiful weather at Banff and Lake Louise causes Prolonged Vacations.

Terminating a record season in the matter of both passenger traffic and beautiful weather, which has prolonged the holidays for many tourists, the Canadian Pacific Hotel at Banff and Lake Louise will close Saturday. The company's smaller summer resorts and bungalow camps in the Rockies were closed September 15. The past season has been one of the best in the company's history according to a statement of R. G. McNeill, general passenger agent, western lines, an interesting feature in connection with it being the number of American tourists who had spent the summer in the Canadian Rockies.

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FRENCH DENY REPORTS OF TURKISH MISDEEDS

Officials of Quai D'Orsay Find No Evidence That Kemal's Soldiers Burned City of Smyrna

PARIS, Sept. 27.—The French foreign office, in an official statement published on Tuesday, confirmed the news from Constantinople that General Pelté, the French high commissioner in that city, and Admiral Dumesnil, the commander of the French forces in the Eastern waters, had satisfied themselves that there was nothing to justify the holding of the Turks responsible for the burning of Smyrna.

Admiral Dumesnil also investigated the charges that the Turks poured kerosene on the houses and streets, and found them false.

Turks Fired On
General Pelté and the admiral found that there had been much excitement in the Greek and Armenian quarters of Smyrna and that a number of Turkish officers and men had been wounded by bombs and hand grenades thrown from the houses.

The two French commanders found that fires were started in widely separated spots in foreign quarters of the city. They learned that French sailors, who were fighting the flames were fired upon. Turkish authorities tried to put out the fires, but the wind fanned the flames.

Pillaging by Greeks
"The French Government found nothing showing the Turks responsible for the fire," said the statement. "On the other hand, it has in its possession most damaging testimony of misdeeds of which the Greek army is guilty and perpetrated during their retreat."

The statement declared that Eski-Schir was not molested during the Turkish retreat, but it was burned when the Greeks were routed. Smyrna, which was destined to be destroyed by fire, was saved only by the French consul and two Italian officers, who induced plunderers, to countermand the order for the burning of the town. It is stated. The foreign office says that most of the neighboring villages were burned and pillaged by Greek soldiers.

New York society women maintain a cemetery for their dogs.

RAPS DOMINION NAVAL POLICY

Mr. Sam Harris, Head of Navy League, Criticizes United States for Limitation Stand—Not Teaching to Fight

"I'm not talking politics, but I can't help criticizing the Government for placing so much importance on training on the land and virtually ignoring the sea," declared Mr. Sam Harris, Dominion president of the Navy League of Canada, before a luncheon meeting of the Canadian Club at the Empress Hotel yesterday.

Mr. Harris scored the Government for closing down naval activity at Esquimalt and, after stressing the importance of the British navy as a peace ensuring and protective agency, made a plea for support of the Navy League and the development of a Canadian merchant marine to carry the products of Canadian industry to the markets of the world.

Rev. Dr. W. Leslie Clay, president of the Canadian Club, introduced the speaker. He said that it was regrettable that some people seemed to regard the Navy League as an organization likely to encourage militaristic tendencies in Canada.

"The navy stands not for militarism but protection," declared Dr. Clay. "On the contrary, it is a great peaceful agent that is probably the surest guarantee we have of imperial unity and of the maintenance of the highest principles of liberty and justice throughout the world."

To Raise Morale and Money
Mr. Harris told of the early days of the Navy League of Canada and described how it was organized. He said that the organization had its inception in Montreal in 1917.

"The idea was to raise both morale and money, and the Navy League did both," said Mr. Harris, who gave a graphic account of how he and his coworkers had brought into being the Toronto branch of the League.

Mr. Harris said the Navy League of Canada was the only organization that stood between poverty and happiness for the dependents of the men of the mercantile marine who perished in the war.

"Fifteen thousand men of the mercantile marine were killed in the war," said Mr. Harris. "They left behind them their children, and many of those, although belonging to the best human stock in the nation, must go without education and other advantages unless someone lends them a helping hand."

Speaking of the development of the Boys' Naval Brigades, Mr. Harris said that the Victoria brigade unquestionably had the best band between Halifax and the Pacific. He said the Vancouver brigade, taken as a whole, was the best in all Canada.

Not Teaching to Fight
"We aren't teaching these boys for war, and to fight," he said. "We are training them for protection and for insurance against danger."

"What hurts me is that Canada is fifth in mercantile marine and yet first in raw materials," said Mr. Harris. "We have the stuff to manufacture and to sell. Whether it be owned by the government or private interests, we must have an efficient merchant marine to carry our products to the markets of the world. The Navy League's task is to see that this fleet is upheld and that it is manned by Canadians who, in a crisis, will be able to defend their loved ones and the shores of Canada."

Mr. Harris expatiated how Canada held the key to the dominant supply of many of the most important raw materials and emphasized the necessity of building up the manufacturing industries and the agencies of distribution.

Scored American Attitude
Mr. Harris attacked the naval limitations agreement and said that the United States had no right to ask that Britain check her naval construction programme.

"I'm not talking politics, but I cannot help criticizing the Government for placing so much importance on training on the land and virtually ignoring the sea. The Government has closed down the Esquimalt station and the boys' naval college. That, in my opinion, was a great mistake."

"What has saved the Empire a score of times since the British navy can't help getting into war. Turkey has no navy worth mentioning and yet Turkey is almost always in trouble."

"The Navy League advocates citizenship within the Empire and the principle of one flag, liberty, fair dealing among nations and the highest ideals of real democracy."

Five Per Cent
Mr. W. J. Day spoke in behalf of the fire prevention movement, and drew the attention of Canadian Club members to Fire Prevention Day, October 9.

In 1921 the fire losses in Canada, excluding forest fires, amounted to \$45,000,000, said Mr. Day. The insurance loss was \$11,000,000. The per capita loss to every man, woman and child was \$3.22, the highest in the world.

Mr. B. C. Nicholas, past president of the Victoria Canadian Club, who was recently elected president of the Associated Canadian Clubs at Hamilton, spoke briefly in commendation of the work of Mr. Harris and the Navy League.

COOL RECEPTION FOR PASSION PLAY OFFER

Would Profane Famous Event in Feeling of Villagers and Elders of Oberammergau.

OBERRAMERGAU, Sept. 29.—The Passion Play over, her crowds of tourists gone and her shops sold bare of souvenirs, Oberammergau has slipped back into another decade of peace and quiet. About 315,000 visitors come to see the Passion Play this season, and left millions of marks which the villagers can devote to improvement purposes. The gross receipts of the play itself were some 20,000,000 marks, the sale of books and photographs netting a further 4,000,000. In addition other millions were spent in the village shops and restaurants.

Up to the end of August 18,000 Americans had visited the play. Now that the approximately 8,000 performers are allowed to settle back and rest after their arduous labors of the last five months, the news that \$1,000,000 has been offered for the privilege of filming the play meets with a rather cool reception among the rank and file of the villagers.

The elders, especially, express resentment at the "profanation" they feel would be committed were the deal to be completed.

CANADA LEADS WORLD IN YEAR'S FIRE LOSS

Mr. T. O. Mackay, of Victoria District Fire Insurance Agents, Addresses Hundred Per Cent Club

The per capita fire loss in Canada during 1921 was \$5.22, the highest in the world, Mr. T. O. Mackay, of the Victoria and District Fire Insurance Agents' Association, told the Hundred Per Cent Club at its weekly luncheon yesterday at the Dominion Hotel. Further than that, said he, the fire losses in the Dominion so far this year also indicated an increase of twenty per cent over last year.

"During the whole of 1921 the total property loss in Canada was roughly \$45,000,000, which in itself is a tremendous amount of waste," pointed out the speaker.

"But this year we are worse off still. From the first of the year to the end of August the fire loss was \$17,000,000—an increase over the same period of 1921 of twenty per cent."

"And these figures do not include the loss by forest fires. You people have no doubt seen all about the forest fires on this island and noticed the increase in this district during the last summer."

"Apart from property loss is the loss of life which can never be replaced. During 1921 the loss of life through fire was estimated at 143. In 1922 to the end of August 143 persons lost their lives through fire. This is an increase of nearly fifty per cent over last year."

"Per capita fire loss in Canada during 1921 was \$5.22—the highest in the world."

"The first thing some people think when they hear the big fire is, 'I wonder if the place is insured.' They hear that it is, and at once go away quite contented, feeling that the insurance company will pay for it and no one will suffer except the company. If they would only stop to think that when the insurance company pays a loss it comes from the company's premium income, and the premium income is collected from you and me and everybody all over Canada on our homes, shops and factories."

"The insurance company is like a big clearing house, which collects from everybody to pay the loss of one. Our rates are based on the law of averages, and a high loss ratio means high rates, and low loss ratio means low insurance rates."

STRONGLY ADVOCATES HOLDING AN ELECTION

Mr. J. M. Kellie, Ward Seven, Gives Reasons Why Council Should Fill Vacancy

Mr. J. M. Kellie, one of the leaders in Ward Seven against Reeve Watson's regime in Spanish, believes that the Spanish Council is stalling off an election in the ward through latest action in tabling the question until the next meeting.

Mr. Kellie claims that Ward Seven should have a representative on the Council for the remainder of the year. Councillor Booley, now residing in California, has resigned, but his resignation has not yet been accepted by the Council. The question of equalization of assessment and the installation of street lights are two instances by Mr. Kellie as awaiting the attention of a Ward Seven councillor. He believes that the cost of elections in Wards Seven and Five should not prevent the vacancies being filled, and that it is the duty of the council to see that the councilors would probably go in by acclamation. He says that he and his associates in the present move for an election have no one picked to run in Ward Seven.

Mr. Kellie did not consider it likely that the Lieutenant-Governor-in-Council would be asked to order an election until after it was seen what action the Spanish Council was going to take.

The move for an election did not come only from the opponents of Reeve Watson, claimed Mr. Kellie, pointing out that the recent meeting of the Tillamook Voters' Association, which voted unanimously for the filling of the vacancies, was composed of adherents of both factions.

CANADA'S SHARE TO EXPENSES OF LEAGUE

Only Half Assessments for Year Have Been Paid, and Financial Situation Is Precarious.

GENEVA, Sept. 29.—Canada's share of the expenses of the League of Nations will be 775,000 gold francs, according to a resolution adopted by the Finance Commission and providing for a provisional scheme for the apportionment of the expenses.

Great Britain's share will be 2,100,000 gold francs; Australia, 575,000; India, 1,440,000; South Africa, 222,000; and New Zealand, 221,000. The report of the Finance Commission draws attention to the precarious financial situation of the League. Five million gold francs are still due from members for 1921 and only half the assessments for this year have been paid. Some of the delinquents contest the fairness of the assessments.

THREE THOUSAND INCURABLES TOLL OF THE GREAT WAR

OTTAWA, Sept. 29.—That there were nearly 5,000 ex-service men still in Canadian hospitals and that it was not expected this number would very materially decrease owing to the fact that approximately 3,000 of them were either mentally affected or suffering from tuberculosis and other practically incurable complaints, as a result of the great war, was one of the statements made here last night by Major N. F. Parkinson, Deputy Minister of the Department of Soldiers' Civil Re-establishment.

Major Parkinson also stated that 14,000 ex-service men had completed courses of vocational training. There were also 70,000 pensions being paid at the present time to disabled ex-service men and to dependents.

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NOTORIOUS MOROCCO BANDIT SURRENDERS

SAN BARTHELEMY, Spain, Sept. 29.—Senor Prada, Spanish Foreign Minister, officially announced the surrender of Raisuli, the bandit.

Raisuli, otherwise Muli Ahmed Raisuli, has utilized more than forty years of his life in brigandage, and was considered the most notorious robber in all Morocco. He operated a hundred miles of Tangier in recent years, but the Spanish troops early in July last drove him out of his citadel at Darout, sixty miles south of Tangier, and with a few thousand relief followers he had been in flight since.

Questioned by the officers, he drew the lady more tightly to her breast and with tears covering her face she admitted killing it. She was placed under arrest, and on appearing in court was remanded.

FORD'S VAST WEALTH TO HELP THOUSANDS

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Henry Ford, in an interview published by the Wall Street Journal today, declared that he intended to employ his vast wealth in industry to provide jobs for thousands of additional men and to increase the wealth of the country by a large production. "The Rockefeller and Carnegie distributions are all right," he said, "but I don't believe in that method."

TEARFUL MOTHER CUDDLES BABE SHE MURDERED

TORONTO, Sept. 29.—Following a quarrel with her husband, Mrs. Julia Currie, 44, mother of thirteen children, slashed the throat of her sixteen-month-old baby, Pearl, at her home in North Toronto yesterday, according to police information.

When the police entered the house they found Mrs. Currie nursing her baby. The child was dead, and the mother was cuddling it to her bosom while the blood streamed from a gash in the baby's throat.

Questioned by the officers, she drew the baby more tightly to her breast and with tears covering her face she admitted killing it. She was placed under arrest, and on appearing in court was remanded.

Miner Killed

ESTEVAN, Sask., Sept. 29.—John Williams, aged 28, a miner, was instantly killed Thursday evening at the Western Dominion Collieries, Taylorton when the charge with which he had fired the coal seam at which he was working, blew in the wall of the room where he had retreated after firing the shot. He was badly injured.

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DEARLY BOUGHT FREEDOM

"We take our dearly bought freedom too much for granted." This sentence summarizes the appeal made to the House of Commons by Mr. S. Harris, president of the Navy League of Canada, in the course of his Dominion tour, to arouse interest in the necessity of adequate naval protection. At a time when our Federal Government has practically disbanded the nucleus of the small and insufficient navy enjoyed by Canada any appeal for a livelier interest in national security cannot be emphasized too much. We have an illustration today of what the freedom of the seas means by the presence of a British fleet at the Dardanelles. It is the buffer that stands against the outbreak of a new European war. The vessels of the Royal Navy are protecting interests, to guarantee which this Dominion of ours is a signatory, but we have no part in the task because we have no navy and because such a large section of our population is apathetic to any sense of the value of naval security. "We take our dearly bought freedom too much for granted," we let Britain pay the premiums on our national insurance. In a naval sense we let her jeopardize the lives of her people in order to guarantee the safety of Empire.

The Navy League is doing a great work in endeavoring to instill a sea sense into our people. Upon such a sense depends the commercial future of the country and its prestige among the nations. Trade, as in the past, will follow the flag and the nation which devotes the greatest energies to the adequate protection of its trade will benefit the most in the world's markets. The development of a sea sense means the introduction of new vitality into the physical well-being of any people. There is no healthier occupation than that in which men go down to the sea in ships. Under the present dispensation at Ottawa we are discounting the opportunities of building up a seafaring people, and the longer we delay in the task the harder it will be to accomplish when it is attempted in a systematic way. Canada's place in the British Commonwealth of nations must ultimately be decided by her ability to defend her interests and her shores against outside aggression, by land, by sea and by air. Until we do this we will be continuing to take our dearly bought freedom too much for granted.

TAX ARREARS

The City Council, when it learns of the returns to the city exchequer through the relief measure extended to delinquent taxpayers, will appreciate how important such provision was. It is exceedingly regrettable that the decision affecting relief was not arrived at early in the summer. Had it been, scores, if not hundreds, who are now unable to pay would have made every effort to avail themselves of the measure and the city would have benefited very substantially in the process. As it is there is again going to be a long list of properties submitted at the tax sale which opens today. The short notice affecting relief gave little or no opportunity to owners absent from the city to take advantage of its terms. In not having thought of this feature of the situation the City Council was remiss, and, therefore, success has only been partial in translating tax arrears into assets. Property with an assessed value of some hundreds of thousands of dollars will revert to the city as a result of the tax sale leaving so much less property to bear the brunt of taxation.

The system of driving property out of private ownership by excessive taxation will go on indefinitely until it is realized that land cannot bear the present impositions. It is no solution whatever of the situation to increase the mill rate on land. That is merely perpetuating the cause of the present impasse. Certain propagandists are endeavoring to pave the way for heavier taxation in 1923 than prevails this year, despite the fact that there is newly introduced a tax on one-third the value of improvements. With a business policy made applicable to civic administration there would be no need whatever for increased taxation. We are absolutely convinced that the great bulk of the property owners, who finance the municipality and whose credit is pledged for its debts, are in favor of a policy of economy being introduced and the elimination of all unnecessary expenditures. The City Council can easily test feeling on this subject by means of a plebiscite at the December municipal elections.

TAX ON GASOLINE

The City Council appears to have passed an abstract resolution in favoring the imposition of a tax of three cents per gallon on gasoline.

It is fairly obvious that under Dominion law this question of taxing imports directly is purely of Federal jurisdiction. If it is known that it had the power to impose such a tax we have no doubt that the present Provincial Government would have availed itself of it with avidity long ago. What should be avoided now is the possibility that the Legislature will grant the municipalities such authority, leaving it to them to fight out the question with the Federal authorities in the courts, a procedure which would involve considerable cost in legal expenses.

A tax on gasoline for the purpose of municipal revenue would require new officialdom for the purpose of collection. It is a tax which could be evaded with impunity, even if collected by the Provincial Government. The motoring public is now fairly heavily taxed through the medium of licence fees, and out of the proceeds the municipalities enjoy a certain revenue. It is not only the owners of pleasure cars who would suffer from a gasoline tax. It would also be a tax in restraint of trade, a feature which could not be overlooked by the Federal Government. The City Council is in the habit of indulging in discussions which serve no useful purpose. Before it passed its resolution dealing with a tax on gasoline it should have ascertained from the Dominion Government if municipalities have the right to make such an imposition.

VICTORIA DAY

The disapproval expressed by the Municipal Chapter, I.O.D.E. of the name of "Broom and Water Festival," apparently selected to denote Victoria Day celebrations of next year, is founded on common sense. To Victorians the title proposed means very little, and takes away the historical significance of the anniversary. To outsiders, who will be invited here to participate in the celebration, it will mean nothing at all. There is no title better than "Victoria Day" that can be used for the celebrations. This anniversary is an established event in the city's history, it draws particular attention to the city and the celebrations so described have become a permanent institution. The people will be practically one and all against any change. The object of the proposed alteration in name cannot be for the reason that it is intended to extend the celebration over three days. It may be because it is desired to make a greater appeal to outsiders to come here for the celebrations. Primarily, however, Victoria Day is a Victorians' holiday, and the most popular of the year. It is known as Victoria Day in honor of a great Queen whose memory will be treasured when any carnival that could be devised will be forgotten. Those responsible for the celebration will do well to use the proper name of the anniversary in their publicity matter. Whatever they may do the people will continue to call "Victoria Day" by its right name.

ENDS OWN LIFE OVER CORPSE OF HUSBAND

Paris is Stirred by Suicide of Socialist Deputy's Wife, Who Refuses to Survive Husband

After writing these words in a farewell letter to friends: "I have been gone for eleven hours and I am already late," Madame Marcel Sembat, wife of the French Socialist deputy, who died suddenly on a recent morning, committed suicide beside the body of her husband in their villa at Chamonix, where they had been on a holiday. The news of the tragedy has profoundly moved Paris, where both Mr. and Mrs. Sembat had a wide circle of friends in both political and artistic circles. They were a most devoted couple, Madame Sembat sharing in full measure her husband's political life, while herself a possessor of vigorous talent and ability. Their comradeship was ideal, and Madame Sembat never went anywhere without her husband. When he spoke in the Chamber she was always to be seen sitting in the same seat in the gallery and the two were seen everywhere arm in arm.

"Some years ago they built a villa at Chamonix as a centre for Alpine excursions, and friends who visited there this summer say that they were two people happier in their lives and joint interests. Both were workers keenly interested in all sides of life, and their home was always filled with quiet gaiety, for M. Sembat especially had a keen sense of humor and joy.

His death must have come as a terrible shock to his wife. In the morning he complained of a headache, and shortly afterwards became unconscious. At midday he died, and all day afterwards Madame Sembat remained alone in the house beside her husband's body. She would admit only the mayor of the village who came to express official condolences, and two friends, M. and Madame Fischer, who remained with her till eleven o'clock in the evening.

An hour later Madame Sembat had finished her letter of farewell, which she left on her husband's desk. Then going to her husband's room, she shot herself in the mouth with a revolver. Her servant running in, found her already dead beside her husband, without whom she had refused to live.

Letters to the Editor

No letter to the editor will be inserted except over the proper signature and address of the writer. This rule admits of no exception.

Island Apple Crop

Sir,—I note that the Honorable Dr. Toimin expressed surprise that there was no fruit exhibit at the Victoria Fair from British Columbia. I am sure that the answer is a simple one—it is time and money wasted. By that I mean no better price is offered by the dealers for extra fancy fruit than they can obtain wholesale and culls for. In this year of a good crop the stores are loaded up with the latter and canny price is all that is offered for the best. No. 1. Quality fruit is not to be had in quantity. The Government wants to know how to produce it. It could go a step further and devote some of the money to a department for aiding the marketing of the produce of the island. It would be a real tangible benefit to settlers and increase production and quality 100 per cent. Such a department might by proper representation obtain for Vancouver Island fruit, a carload rate to the interior which would not exceed that paid by the most western point of the Okanagan. It might also get a concession that any shipment over 100 boxes would go at carload rates. The department might engineer the shipment and disposal of two or three million Fall apples and the same of Winter apples on certain dates by which the small man could get sale for his stuff. One man, I understand, made a fortune shipping apples to China. This island can grow enough for not only its own requirements but for a big export trade if the matter of marketing is taken in hand and properly organized. As it is, the people are discouraged from well doing and the orchards allowed to go to waste. A steady market for the produce of a community spells its prosperity and pays its taxes. Without it, the productivity of the soil is worthless and the enticing of settlers a crime. The Liberal Government of Alberta recognized this and saved hundreds of down and out settlers by the establishment of government creameries and again by grading and marketing through and over the province and again by handling the wool. In this way they encouraged production by the small man who could not find his own market. I am sure that the same idea of endeavor to the British Columbia Government. Local produce might then get an equal chance with the Washington and Okanagan fruit instead of always being "a drug in the market."

G. E. GODDARD, Sidney, B.C., September 27, 1922.

Tribute to Victoria

Sir,—As a visitor to Victoria, may I be granted space in your valued paper to make a few comments upon the beauty of your city and the hospitality of its citizens. I arrived in Victoria some months ago at the invitation of friends who had portrayed to me, both by pen and picture, some of the many attractions of Vancouver Island. Consequently my expectations were very high; but what I cannot understand is why Victorians do not make more of their city.

The passage from Vancouver on the splendid C.P.R. ferries is a veritable delight: to wend one's way through the narrow channels and especially that part of the trip which is known as Plumper Pass; that forest of stalwart firs, rugged rocks, swift running current, with a steady breeze in one's face, is extremely beautiful and without exaggeration, most exhilarating. As we drew near to Victoria the hroam at Beacon Hill displayed itself as a cross to the sea, and it was that we understood the appellation "Queen City of the West." Victoria was wearing her crown. The view upon entering the Inner Harbour was no less beautiful. The stately Parliament Buildings, the palatial Empress Hotel, with its creepers gracing its exterior, the broad expanse of the harbor, surrounded by each structure and the Postoffice, all combined to present a most pleasing approach and one which, in my opinion, is unequalled anywhere. Upon landing I was very agreeably surprised at the width and cleanliness of the streets, paved as they are, not extended far into the residential districts, but far out into the country, and all graced with tree planted boulevards, all of which compared most favorably with the finest cities in the world. Another thing which appealed to me very much was the extremely beautiful way in which the city was lighted. I think the system of electric lighting installed here is an excellent one, and is not only very beautiful, but gives an additional amount of protection to the residents of the city.

I found that there were many facilities for enjoying one's visit here, such as golf, swimming, boating, bowling and fishing, but furthermore I found that practically every line of sport can be indulged in by its admirers. What appealed to me most of all was the extreme generosity, courtesy and kindness extended to strangers by the patrons of the clubs, more particularly so at the Bowling Club. I visited the bowling greens at Beacon Hill many times, and found the management always unfailing in their courtesy and kindness, and in fact was warmly welcomed by one and all, and I must say that such courtesy has made me feel I was among friends rather than strangers, and no matter what my members were present a stranger was always sure of being given a place on one or other of the rinks and never went away disappointed.

The greens themselves were excellent, and no doubt a great amount of time, care and expense has been spent on them, and when the public realizes what an asset the Bowling Club is, and also when the citizens realize the many pleasant afternoons and evenings which they can spend at your Bowling Club, I feel sure that the present Club will become so popular that it will be necessary to increase the number of rinks immediately.

I have spent several months here and have enjoyed my visit, and there is no doubt that the generosity, kindness and hospitality before mentioned have done a great deal to help me enjoy my stay in Victoria, and if the citizens of Victoria continue to extend to strangers the same cour-

tesy as they have to me, I predict that many more visitors will spend their summer months in your most beautiful city.

Airlie Mount, Aylth, Scotland, September 27, 1922.

West Coast Road

Sir,—One again I return to the charge of a road up the West Coast. It has been pointed out to all that most of our roads and streets have been congested with motor traffic this summer, and the tourist travel from other lands has been very heavy. Then why not have it so that in place of sending them all to the unken gardens and the Malahat, many could be pointed to the West Coast road, where thousands who have never seen it would realize the wonders of the vast Pacific Ocean.

The motor, where good roads exist, are now fast bidding for freight and passenger traffic in competition with railroads. Have we not had governments go to the country on a railroad policy, which proved a failure? Any government that will go to the country with this West Coast road policy will be almost certain to have the management of the people's affairs placed in its hands; in this road could not possibly be a failure. It would be state-owned, for the people's use, and many a man would be able to say himself out a little house, knowing full well that all the stuff that would go towards making it, he could transport himself with his family to a little house on the coast. Fish could be hauled on it, not fish or snakes. We will leave those for the Malahat. Coal and mineral stock hauled on it, and everything that is to be found on the West Coast. All these things could be hauled on the road by every man who owned a motor. It should be a people's road without expense to the government.

I think, Mr. Editor, that this plan could well be applied to the P.G.E. railroad. Take up the rails and ties and cover it with a sheet of concrete. It is already graded.

HERBERT PHIPPS, 2624 Prior Street, Victoria, B.C., September 27, 1922.

NATIVES TERRIFIED

WRECKED AVIATORS THOUGHT GHOSTS OF DEEP

Round-the-World Air Flight Came to Thrilling End in Bay of Bengal—At Mercy of Elements

LONDON, Sept. 27.—"Below us were sharks; near the land crocodiles. Would we float near enough to ground our inverted top hamper and signal some ashore, or risk swimming for it? . . . Then our hopes were shattered, for an undercurrent caught our submerged planes and fuel tanks, and faster than we could near the land we were pulled away from it. Quickly it faded and our hopes sank. . . . We were utterly helpless in the mercy of the wind and the tide."

The above sentences are taken from the long and thrilling narrative which records the terrible experiences of Captain Norman Macmillan and Captain Mallin while adrift for sixty hours on a wrecked seaplane in the Bay of Bengal. They were engaged in a round-the-world flight organized by The Daily News.

"Suddenly we noticed an alteration in the trim of our craft," continues the narrative. "Round and round we whirled, water pouring over us, hanging on tooth and nail, and soaked by the repeated wash that broke completely over us. Evidently we were in a tide whirl."

Perhaps the most impressive thing in the story is Captain Macmillan's account of their abandonment by a native brig which passed near them when they were almost spent. "Mail-lines could hear beautiful instrumental music," writes Macmillan, "and I the sound of the pipes playing laments in the distance. We did not mention this to each other at the time. We were each afraid of that. . . ."

"Suddenly we saw a sail away down south. Was it coming up? Yes, slowly. . . . A landman. Soon his yards appeared. Gradually it came along. Standing up we could see the hull. It was all we could do to remain upright. . . . We waved our distress flag, signalling the international S O S. The brig was coming straight for us. She must have seen our distress signal. She did not fail to see us. . . ."

"Was she changing her course? Surely not, but she was. . . ."

"The two aviators were rescued some hours later by a steam launch sent out in search of them."

GUESSING ON GENERAL ELECTION IN ENGLAND

LONDON, Sept. 29.—The question of when the general elections will be held in the United Kingdom is keeping the politicians guessing. Thirty guineas per cent against the general elections being held before the end of this year is the latest quotation of the underwriters.

To Manager Hotel Vancouver
Vancouver, Sept. 29.—Edward Everett Beck has been appointed general manager of the Hotel Vancouver in succession to H. B. Jackson, who was drowned here recently. Word to this effect was received from the passenger traffic manager in Montreal today. Mr. Beck has been assistant manager for some years.

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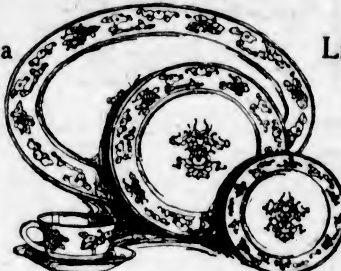
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Tea Plates, reg. \$8.00, Sale, \$6.40.
7-Inch Dessert Plates, reg. \$11.00, Sale, \$8.80.
8-Inch Dinner Plates, reg. \$13.50, Sale, \$10.80.
Soup Plates, reg. \$10.00, Sale, \$8.00.
Fruit Sauces, regular \$5.50, Sale, \$4.40.
10-Inch Platters, regular \$2.75, Sale, \$2.20.
12-Inch Platters, regular \$3.50, Sale, \$2.80.
14-Inch Platters, regular \$4.50, Sale, \$3.60.
16-Inch Platters, regular \$6.00, Sale, \$4.80.
Gravy Boat and Stand, reg. \$3.50, Sale, \$2.80.
Sauce Tureen and Stand, reg. \$3.75, Sale, \$3.00.
Vegetable Dishes, reg. \$4.25, Sale, \$3.40.
40-Piece Tea Set, reg. \$24.00, Sale, \$19.20.
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Teas and Sauces, reg. \$9.50, Sale, \$7.60.
Breakfast Cups and Sauces, regular \$12.50, Sale, \$10.00.
Bread and Butter Plates, reg. \$7.50, Sale, \$6.00.
Tea Plates, reg. \$8.50, Sale, \$6.80.
Breakfast Plates, reg. \$9.50, Sale, \$7.60.
Egg Cups, reg. \$4.50, Sale, \$3.60.
Cream Jugs, reg. \$1.50, Sale, \$1.20.
Milk Jugs, reg. \$2.00, Sale, \$1.60.
Covered Sugar Bowls, reg. \$3.00, Sale, \$2.40.
Slop Bowl, reg. \$2.00, Sale, \$1.60.
Cake Plate, reg. \$1.50, Sale, \$1.20.
Teapot, small size, reg. \$3.50, Sale, \$2.80.
Teapot, large size, reg. \$4.50, Sale, \$3.60.
Muffin Dish, reg. \$4.00, Sale, \$3.20.
38-Piece Breakfast Set, reg. \$34.00, Sale, \$27.20.
40-Piece Tea Set, reg. \$24.00, Sale, \$19.20.

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Breakfast Cups and Sauces, reg. \$22.50, Sale, dozen, \$18.00.
Bread and Butter Plates, regular \$9.50, Sale, dozen, \$7.60.
6-Inch Tea Plates, reg. \$10.50, Sale, doz., \$8.40.
7-Inch Dessert Plates, regular \$13.50, Sale, per dozen, \$10.80.
8-Inch Dinner Plates, regular \$16.50, Sale, per dozen, \$13.20.
Coupe Soup Plates, reg. \$10.50, Sale, doz., \$8.40.
Rim Soup Plates, special, per dozen, \$9.50, Sale, \$7.60.
Fruit Sauces, reg. \$7.50, Sale, doz., \$6.00.
10-Inch Platter, reg. \$4.75, Sale, \$3.80.
12-Inch Platter, reg. \$4.75, Sale, \$3.80.
14-Inch Platter, reg. \$6.75, Sale, \$5.40.
Gravy Boat and Stand, reg. \$3.00, Sale, \$2.40.
Sauce Tureen and Stand, reg. \$3.50, Sale, \$2.80.
Vegetable Dishes, reg. \$4.50, Sale, \$3.60.
40-Piece Tea Set, \$22.00, Sale, \$17.60.
52-Piece Dinner Set, \$56.80, Sale, \$45.44.
112-Piece Dinner Set, \$116.00, Sale, \$92.80.

English Rosebud China

Teas and Sauces, reg. \$12.00, Sale, \$9.60.
Breakfast Cups and Sauces, regular \$18.00, Sale, \$14.40.
Bread and Butter Plates, reg. \$9.00, Sale, \$7.20.
Tea Plates, reg. \$11.00, Sale, \$8.80.
Breakfast Plates, reg. \$12.50, Sale, \$10.00.
Egg Plates, reg. \$1.75, Sale, \$1.40.
Cream Jug, reg. \$1.75, Sale, \$1.40.
Milk Jug, reg. \$2.25, Sale, \$1.80.
Open Sugar Bowl, reg. \$1.75, Sale, \$1.40.
Slop Bowl, reg. \$1.75, Sale, \$1.40.
Egg Cup, reg. \$6.00, Sale, \$4.80.
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FRENCH POLICE USE REMARKABLE METHODS

Criminals Now Said to Be Identified by Means of Analysis of Air Breathed by Them

Analysis of the air breathed by a criminal is the newest aid to the French police in identifying malefactors. The scientists, in their well-equipped laboratory, are notified. They crowd into a big automobile, filled with scientific instruments, and proceed to the scene. There is the expert photographer, the artist to make sketches; the chemist, and the man to operate the spectroscopic. The last mentioned takes a section of the air for future careful analysis; each of the others does his assigned part, and no possible bit of material analysis is overlooked. The floor and the walls, the furniture, threads of clothing, bloody rags, broken lights, fingerprints, anything that offers a possible suggestion is packed up in air-tight receptacles and taken back to the laboratory. Here everything is analyzed, and finally, the laboratory is able to give instructions to the detectives, whom to arrest and what to look for, an exact and definite comparison may be made.

"When we appear in court we do not confront the prisoner and the judge with suppositions or probabilities," said M. Bell, chief of the laboratory. "We present proofs and facts. We explain exactly how the crime was committed. In 3,119 cases of crime, 1,477 imprints were made, requiring 19,414 examinations and 4,775 photographic prints, and this work led to the positive identification of 124 criminals. Criminals who wash up blood stains now waste their time. In this laboratory blood stained 299,099 times can be traced, whether the original stain was on a floor or a bit of cloth."

"Each man or woman has his or her distinctive heat and this is why bloodhounds are able to trace by smell," continued the speaker. "The spectroscopic can be made to detect the light radiating from a given person, and if that person has passed through a room, unseen, at a given moment, this fact the machine will reveal. The fact that the person in question was in a state of excitement or not also will be recorded."

Burmese Smugglers Make Fine Art of Selling Illicit Drugs

The drug smugglers of India and Burma, through long years of experience, have developed a finished system of operations which has little resemblance to the more or less crude and hit or miss methods of rum runners in the United States. The men who finance the smuggling of drugs, says R. K. Anderson, superintendent of the Burmese excise department, are to all appearances respectable, well-to-do merchants, with flourishing businesses in piece goods, rice or timber which hide their real occupations as traffickers in opium, cocaine, morphine and hemp drugs. These men do not handle the drugs, but leave the details to hosts of underlings. If an underling is arrested, fined and sent to jail, his principal pays his fine, gives him his salary and supports his family while he is in prison.

"That a certain man is a smuggler is well known to the authorities," reports Mr. Anderson. "In fact the suspect will cheerfully admit it. He knows that he cannot be touched unless the contraband is found in his possession." The chief source of protection to smugglers is the accessibility to bribery of those who are charged with the duty of preventing smuggling. They can make more money by failing to suppress smuggling than by suppressing it.

FIFTY YEARS AGO TODAY

(From The Daily British Colonist of September 30, 1874.)

News of the Caribbea Plague Field—William Creek, Sept. 18.—The Registrar General has received from the Registrar General of the Caribbea Plague Field, a report that the plague has been prevalent in the Caribbea Plague Field for some time. The Registrar General has received from the Registrar General of the Caribbea Plague Field, a report that the plague has been prevalent in the Caribbea Plague Field for some time. The Registrar General has received from the Registrar General of the Caribbea Plague Field, a report that the plague has been prevalent in the Caribbea Plague Field for some time.

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Y.M.C.A. WORKERS GATHER AT SUPPER

Well Attended Meeting Hears Inspiring Address by General Secretary of Everett

A well attended and enthusiastic supper gathering of Y.M.C.A. workers was held last evening in the association building as a stimulus for the coming season. The feature item on the programme was an address by Mr. C. F. Nevius, general secretary of the Y.M.C.A. at Everett, on "The Place of the Layman in the Association." Hymns were sung by the gathering, and two vocal numbers were delightfully rendered by Mr. J. P. McColl, who recently arrived here from Glasgow. Dr. M. W. Thomas, president of the association, presided.

Introductions were carried out under the direction of Mr. J. M. Graham, general secretary. The singing of hymns was led by Mr. Walter S. Maguire, physical director, with Mr. Ira Dilworth accompanying on the piano.

The talk given by Mr. Nevius was

filled with anecdotes gathered during his rich experience, and which illustrated the points which he wished to make. He declared that it had been found that material things were not sufficient in the attainment of the highest ideals, there being a deeper need, that of the soul.

Mr. Nevius had no hesitation in saying that the Y.M.C.A. was raised by God to meet the circumstances of the times. It had grown in the laboratory of the world's needs. The genius of the organization did not lie in its buildings, its employed staff, its programme, or its committee men, but in its leadership. It served all the needs of man. The law of change was operating in the association.

"You men are engaged in an interesting work," said the speaker. "You are standing on the frontier of human life with all its undiscovered resources and its unusual opportunities."

The wonderful influence of the Y.M.C.A. in any community was dwelt upon by Mr. Nevius, who gave concrete instances to illustrate his point. "If you Y.M.C.A. men will catch the spirit and will work, you can make Victoria what you want," he asserted.

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READY TO OPEN HARBOR BRIDGE

Final Approval of New Structure by Strauss Bascule Company Expected to Arrive From East Today

The Johnson Street Bridge will be opened to motor and pedestrian traffic on Monday, if the Strauss Bascule Bridge Company, of Chicago, wire City Engineer F. M. Preston to-day the expected approval of the structure as it stands.

Mr. Preston and the Vancouver representative of the Strauss Company, designers of the bridge, inspected the bridge yesterday and found everything in order. It now remains for the head office at Chicago to be communicated with, and final endorsement permitting to open the bridge will then be wired to the city engineer.

"The approval of the Strauss Company is the only thing we need now," said Mr. Preston. "It comes through in time, the first train to cross the bridge will be the north-bound Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway train Monday morning."

Mayor William Marchant said there would probably be no ceremony in connection with the bridge opening, although the City Council would be present in a body to witness the event.

City officials have suggested that the bridge should be opened according to the established custom in Great Britain, however, do not think much of the plan and think it would be more dignified to have no ceremony at all.

COURT ORDERS THAT LIQUOR BE RESTORED

Magistrate Jay Gives Decision Against Government Board in Its Seizure From Davison's Warehouse

Magistrate Jay yesterday ordered the restoration of several thousand dollars' worth of liquor to Mr. William F. Davison, from whose warehouse the liquor was seized in a raid on August 24, which was conducted by special in the employ of the Government Liquor Board. The application for the return of the liquor was made before his worship on behalf of Mr. Davison by J. H. Maclean, K.C. Mr. Richard C. Lowe, representing the Liquor Board, opposed the application.

In announcing his decision, the court held that the liquor had been taken from the proprietor of the Davison Exporting Company without justification. A part of the liquor seized included a consignment of stock belonging to the Davison Liquor Company, Limited, of Vancouver, which was to be exported from this port.

The point had been raised as to where this liquor was to be exported to. Magistrate Jay said that whether the liquor was held for export to the United States or anywhere else was not material to the case, adding that the applicant had obeyed the provisions of the Liquor Act in that he was the holder of a licence which authorized him to export the liquor.

The magistrate made reference to the Crown not being in any evidence during the hearing of the application. He considered that the Liquor Board might have been expected to have the men who seized the liquor take them and show upon what grounds the goods were seized.

CONFERENCE MAY END SCHOOL STRIKE

Board of Trustees Agree to Hear Arguments of Chinese Parents at Conference on Monday

The Chinese school situation will probably take more definite form on Monday night when members of the School Board will confer with representatives of the Chinese parents whose children are now "on strike," refusing to attend the Chinese schools established by the board at the commencement of this term.

The School Board met yesterday afternoon to discuss night school appointments and received a letter signed by influential Chinese residents, who requested the opportunity of placing their case before the trustees. Mr. J. Taylor, K.C., is acting for the Chinese in a legal capacity, and has obtained a large amount of data on the subject, preparatory to making a legal fight for recognition of the Chinese claim.

The request was granted. That the incident has assumed an international aspect was indicated yesterday when Provincial Superintendent of Education R. J. Willis told The Colonist that he had been asked by the Department of External Affairs to furnish full particulars of the case, as the Chinese consul-general at Ottawa had made inquiry and wanted, if possible, to have the controversy settled at once.

The strike, or boycott, of the segregated schools by Chinese students is continuing, it was stated yesterday at the office of the School Board. A few Chinese students are attending, however, but only a negligible number.

BELIEVE NINE DEAD IN MINE EXPLOSION

JOHNSON CITY, Ill., Sept. 29.—Nine men are believed to have been killed in an explosion in the Lake Creek mine of the Consolidated Coal Company near here this afternoon. Two hundred and ninety-five men were working in the colliery when the blast occurred. Two bodies have been recovered.

The Topeka State Journal prints a weekly serial from the Bible.

COAT-OF-ARMS IS CAUSE OF TROUBLE IN CITY COUNCIL

Accused of disloyalty by Ald. J. H. Hinton, the coat of arms of the removal of the British coat of arms from the Council Chamber, Mayor William Marchant yesterday gave orders for the placing of the insignia in the newly-opened committee room.

"I ordered that the coat-of-arms should be junked, not because of any sentimental motive, but because the object was absolutely hideous," said the Mayor. "It has been standing behind my chair in the Council Chamber nine months and I thought that was quite sufficient. I don't see how former mayors tolerated it for so long. It is an artistic calamity."

The fact is that the Mayor considered the coat-of-arms to City Solicitor H. S. Pringle's office in the legal department instead of to the garbage department, and there it reposed now, in spite of the protests of Mr. Pringle. However, the Mayor ordered that the coat-of-arms shall in future hang in the committee room.

RACE ARRANGED BETWEEN CITIES

Calgary Will Contest With Victoria In Precinct High Percentage of Registered Voters

Victoria and Calgary will vie with each other this year to see which city will have the greatest number of votes cast at the forthcoming municipal elections in proportion to the population.

A challenge for a Victoria-Calgary Civic Contest was issued recently by the Victoria Gyro Club to that of the Prairie city, and was promptly accepted.

It will be recalled that the local Gyros conducted two very successful campaigns last year for the purpose of increasing the number of names on the voters' list and also having a larger vote polled at the election. A new high mark, both in the voters' list and the annual poll, was set as a result. This year the club intends to stage Get-a-Vote and Get-a-Four-Vote campaigns again, and much additional interest will be provided by the competition between Victoria and Calgary.

The Calgary Gyro Club co-operated with other organizations in the Alberta centre to conduct a registration campaign this year, and a drive for getting out the voters will be carried on prior to the elections.

It was felt by the Victoria Gyros that the percentage of voters in proportion to the population was the fairest basis upon which to conduct a contest. The purpose of holding preliminary registration campaigns is to increase the number of names to exercise the franchise when the time comes.

Last year had a similar contest held in Victoria, which had a score of 17.53 per cent, while Calgary would have had 14.93 per cent, but in this regard it must be taken into consideration that Victoria had the advantage of the stimulus that comes from a spirited campaign, while Calgary had nothing of the kind.

While Victoria secured the greatest percentage of votes as a result of the campaign, Calgary had a voters' list with names that totalled 39.47 per cent of the population, while that of Victoria had only 34.07 per cent. The local Gyros will make a determined effort to get out a larger list than last year.

The civic drive will be open for the receiving of new names throughout October, commencing on Monday. Those desiring to register can do so at the city hall.

The elections will be held this year on December 14, while in Calgary they will take place on December 13.

The results of Calgary's recent drive for registrations are not yet known in Victoria.

VETERANS' AUXILIARY IN BUSINESS SESSION

L.A. to Army and Navy Veterans Plan Sale in David Spencer's Basement on Saturday Next

A well-attended meeting of the Veterans' Auxiliary to the Army and Navy Veterans took place this week at the residence of the president, Mrs. A. Thomson, Pembroke Street. A standing vote of thanks was given to Mrs. Charles Wilson for the substantial sum of money which was obtained from the proceeds of the series of cricket teas.

The gathering decided to hold a home cooking sale and sale of work on Saturday, October 7, in the basement of David Spencer's, Limited. Mrs. Charles Wilson was named convenor. The arrangements of the organization are asked to assist with contributions for this undertaking.

It was decided that in future the meetings of the auxiliary would be held in the Hamley Building on the second and fourth Monday in each month. Instead of the first and third Monday as formerly arranged.

The next meeting of the auxiliary will take place on Monday, October 9, at 8 o'clock.

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MAYOR DISREGARDS COUNCIL'S REBUKE

Says He Will See That Local Government Board Matter Is Placed Before Convention

Hurdling the barrier of etiquette which the City Council attempted to rear against him on Thursday night, Mayor William Marchant announced yesterday that he was still determined to get his resolutions referring to local government boards and other matters before the Kamloops convention of the Union of B. C. Municipalities.

"I will be quite polite about it, of course, and carry out the instructions of the Council respecting the resolutions that it has adopted," said the Mayor. "But when anyone gives orders that I shall not speak at the convention on matters other than those introduced at the instruction of the City Council, he is merely wasting time."

The Mayor said that while he personally would probably not introduce his resolutions supporting appointment of a local government board and other matters frowned upon by the majority of the Council, he would certainly see that they were submitted to the convention, and yesterday he was in conference with Reeve Alex Lockley, Esquimalt, a member of the union's resolutions committee, arranging with him to have his resolutions dealt with at Kamloops.

"Mr. Lockley was not personally in favor of some of my proposals, but he agreed with me that the matters should at least be put before the convention," said the Mayor. "The resolutions committee and the convention itself can surely be trusted to bring down a fair verdict."

The Mayor said that criticism from Ald. Todd regarding his proposed action at the Kamloops convention was hardly inappropriate, inasmuch as that alderman had once before done exactly what he had sought to prevent the Mayor from doing.

"I'm sorry I did not recall the incident last night, because I could have made an effective reply to his criticism," said the Mayor. "I shall not miss the opportunity when we meet again, however. I shall remind Ald. Todd that not long ago, when the majority of the Council favored a certain proposal and submitted it to the Legislature for action, he threatened to go before the Private Bills Committee and oppose them. What is more, the alderman actually carried out his threat, and yet he would rebuke me for seeking to espouse a cause before a body like the Union of B. C. Municipalities entirely divorced from the resolutions being introduced by this Council. His attitude is untenable."

CITY PAYROLL IS WELL PROTECTED

Officials Confident That Vancouver Robbery Will Not Be Duplicated in Victoria

There is no chance of the duplication in Victoria of the daring day robbery of city officials in Vancouver, it was stated yesterday at the City Hall.

The sum of \$76,000 was stolen from city messengers in Vancouver because they were carrying pay money in currency. In Victoria all regular employees of the city, except outside workers, are paid by cheques issued monthly, signed by City Treasurer E. C. Smith and countersigned by the Mayor.

The robbery has renewed discussion of the methods of paying outside workers, however.

Mayor Marchant said yesterday that he objects to the practice of paying outside men with cash. He would prefer to have them paid by cheque and call for the money at the City Hall. Early in the year he brought that proposal before treasury officials, but was told that the plan would seriously inconvenience the employees, as many of them would have to come long distances to receive their money. Besides, there is a regulation that all men hired by the day shall be paid weekly in cash, if demanded in that form. Many of the outside men, however, are now employed on a permanent basis.

SPECIAL COUNCIL MEETING CALLED

Reeve Watson Sends Out Hurdled Message to Sanction Councilors to Convene Tonight

Reeve Watson has called a special meeting of the City Council for tonight in the Municipal Hall, Royal Oak. He took this action hurriedly yesterday evening, the councilors having been informed of the meeting by telephone.

Only Councilors Macneil and Horner could be reached by The Colonist last night. The former stated he knew nothing about the purpose of the meeting, while the latter admitted that he knew but said that he could not divulge it.

The Council learns that the matter for which the special session has been called is one concerning the works department of the municipality. Storms have broken out from time to time over this branch of the municipal service, but it is some time since any outbreak has taken place, although there have been rumblings from time to time at ratepayers' meetings.

Reeve Watson, Councilor McWilliam and Clerk Cowper are scheduled to leave tonight for the Mainland, en route to the convention of the Union of B. C. Municipalities at Kamloops, which this plan is not altered, would appear to insure that the meeting at Royal Oak will not be a late one.

RUSSIA DESIRES CANADIAN MACHINERY

LONDON, Sept. 29.—Foreign Trade Commissioner Kraasin of Russia, in an interview, according to a Reuter dispatch from Moscow, stated that a trade delegation was going to Canada where Russia could purchase agricultural machinery and seed with which to develop Russian agriculture.

Commissioner Kraasin emphasized Russia's policy that her foreign trade monopoly must be preserved intact.

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OBITUARY

BROWN—The funeral of the late Mr. Richard Brown will take place on Monday afternoon at 1:15 from the B. C. Funeral Chapel, proceeding to St. Mark's Church, where service will be conducted at 1:30. Interment will be made at Ross Bay Cemetery.

HEAL—The remains of Baby Heal were laid to rest yesterday afternoon in St. Michael's Cemetery. The funeral was conducted by the Rev. Mr. Nixon, and the service was held at 4 o'clock. The remains will be interred in Ross Bay Cemetery.

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Women's Cotton and Lisle Hose

An assortment of various lines in Cotton and Lisle Hose, in colors of black, brown, white, navy and grey. Sizes 8½ to 10. Not all sizes in either line, but all sizes in the lot. Broken lines. Values to 65c. Month-End Special. **30c**
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Fine Quality Velour, Blanket Cloth and Tweed Coats in belted and loose styles, raglan or set-in sleeves, trimmed with beaverine collars, half lined. Coats that will give good service and stand all kinds of rough weather. Choose from taupe, brown, navy and fancy checks. **\$22.95**
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The Hudson's Bay Co.'s The Seal of Quality Creamery Butter, per lb. **48c**
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Mild Canadian Cheese, per lb. **25c**
Finest Quality Pork Sausage, lb. **28c**
Mild Cured Side Bacon, machine sliced, per lb. **43c**
Peameal Back Bacon, machine sliced, per lb. **35c**
Finest Quality Ayrshire Roll, machine sliced, per lb. **35c**
The Hudson's Bay Co.'s The Seal of Quality Peanut Butter, per tin **20c**
Choice Slab Cake, comprising Cherry, Almond, Genoa and Society, all finest quality. Special, per lb. **40c**
The Hudson's Bay Co.'s Special Broken Orange Pekoe Tea, per lb. **60c**
3 lbs. for **\$1.45**
Special Blend Pure Coffee, freshly roasted, per lb. **35c**
3 lbs. for **\$1.00**
Fine Quality Breakfast Cocoa, lb. **17c**
3 lbs. for **50c**
The Hudson's Bay Co.'s The Seal of Quality Rolled Oats, large 14-lb. sacks for **65c**
Finest Quality B.C. Granulated Sugar, 20-lb. paper sack **\$1.65**
100-lb. sack **\$7.85**
Excellor Cake Mixture, four varieties, lemon, vanilla, chocolate and devil's food. Per packet **10c**

Fruit and Vegetables

Preserving Peaches, per crate **\$1.00**
Fine Large Ciron, Vegetable Marrow, Hubbard Squash or Pumpkin, per lb. **3c**
Green Tomatoes, 10 lbs. for **25c**
Green Peppers, per lb. **15c**
Red Bell Peppers, per lb. **15c**
Fine Large White Cauliflower, per head **20c**
Hothouse Cucumbers, English, 20 each **20c**
Pickling Onions, 4 lbs. for **25c**
Golden Bantam Corn, per dozen **25c**
Very Fine Local Apples, per box **\$1.00**
and **\$1.50**
Large Firm Bananas, per dozen **40c**
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Just the Sock for real comfort and hard wear. All pure wool, in shades of grey, black and heather. Knit in 3-1 rib, in all sizes. **50c**
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Nuxated Iron, value \$1.00, for **78c**
Zam-Buk, value 50c, for **38c**
Two-Quart Hot Water Bottles, guaranteed **88c**
Solid Back Hair Brushes. A special value at **38c**
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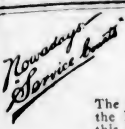
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TO HELP YOUNG MEN

ENTER MARRIAGE STATE

LONDON, Ont., Sept. 29.—Men of today need to be encouraged rather than discouraged in matrimony. It was held by the majority of the members of the lower house of the Provincial Anglican Synod, which yesterday refused to endorse the principle of making 21 years the age for young men entering the marriage state.

Resolutions were passed protesting against any extension of the present system of separate schools and recommending the segregation and better care of mental defectives.

Shattered Insanity to Last

FLORENCE, Ariz., Sept. 29.—

Theodore West, maintaining to the

last his sham of insanity, died on the

gallows at the Arizona state peniten-

tary here at 5 o'clock this morning.

He was executed for the murder of

Lem Smith in Mohave County, in

July, 1921.

The steamer Olympic recently, for

a short distance, set a record pas-

senger liner speed of 27.51 knots.

Social & Personal

Major F. E. Berton left on Thursday for an indefinite visit to England.

Mrs. W. T. Williams, of Victoria, is visiting in Vancouver where she is the guest of Mrs. Gilbert McConnell for a few days.

Mrs. James Osborne, of Victoria, is spending a few days visiting in Vancouver, where she formerly resided.

Miss Winnie Pollard, of Nanaimo, has been staying with Mr. and Mrs. M. Duncan, 443 Durban Street, and has returned to her home.

Miss Gray, of the staff of the office of Premier Oliver, who has been enjoying a lengthy holiday in Eastern Canada, has returned to the city and will resume her duties next week.

Invitations are out for the wedding of Miss Dorothy Dunne, of Crofton, and Major F. C. Williams-Freeman, of Duncan, the ceremony to take place at Chemainus River on Thursday, October 17th.

Mr. and Mrs. R. L. Robertson, accompanied by the Misses Robertson, arrived recently in Vancouver from the East, and after a short visit there will come to Victoria before returning to their home in Halifax.

Among the passengers who left Victoria yesterday morning for San Francisco were Mrs. E. Smith, nee Miss Naud Walker, and Mrs. W. Bailey, nee Miss Mabel Ralph, who will make their home in Los Angeles.

Patrons of the popular The Danes which took place last winter at the Empress Hotel, are pleased to know that these affairs are being resumed this season, the premier event taking place this afternoon.

Mr. J. Wenger, who has spent the last five months on a business trip to England and Continental Europe, returned home over the week-end. The just-returned Victorian paid a visit to many of the battlefields of the great war.

The interesting news has been received that on August 30, Mr. and Mrs. Joe Walters, 1703 St. James Street, Burlington, became the proud parents of triplets; Regina Rose, Doris Loretta and James Vincent Walters. Mrs. Walters was formerly Miss Sheppard of this city.

The engagement is announced of Edith Victoria, youngest daughter of the late Thos. J. Whitwell and Mrs. Whitwell, Crescent Road, to Samuel Frederick, eldest son of Mr. and Mrs. Fred Kuebler, of Salem, the wedding will take place on October 11th.

Mr. and Mrs. W. G. Winterburn announce the engagement of their eldest daughter, Winifred, to Arthur Douglas Anderson, youngest son of the late Mr. John A. Anderson and Mrs. Anderson, the marriage to take place in St. John's Church on October 25th.

Mr. W. M. Moore and family have moved to Courtenay, where they will in future make their home. Moore left Victoria yesterday for the up-land centre, the other members of his family having preceded him there by a few days. Mr. Moore is on the staff of the Provincial Assessor's office, and it is in connection with his official duties that he has gone to Courtenay to live.

The marriage has been arranged and will take place shortly between L. Col. Geoffrey L. Hoare, of Summerville, Borden, and daughter of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Hoare, of Courtenay. Lady Alma Hoare, daughter of the Earl and Countess of Courtenay, Lady Alma Hoare is a sister of Lady Sybil Lawrence, at present residing in Vancouver, and of Lady Edith Hoare, who recently left for England after spending the past year in British Columbia.

Members of the Social Committee of the Crofton Branch of the C. of C. arranged a delightful dance which took place last night at Harmony Hall, and which was attended by a large number of guests. The music was supplied by O'Garra's Orchestra. Supper was served under the auspices of the members of the committee, including Messrs. J. Ward, W. Gray, H. Hayward and D. Todd, and an enjoyable evening was spent by all present.

Yesterday afternoon Mr. and Mrs. Curtis Sampson entertained at tea at their home, Molton Combe, Oak Bay, in honor of Mr. H. H. Davidson, President of the Navy League, and Mrs. Harris. Mrs. Harris and Miss Alice Pooley presided at the table, which was prettily centred with the Summer flowers. Among the guests were Mr. and Mrs. Harris, Sir Richard and Lady Lake, Mr. and Mrs. Andrew Wright, Mrs. Pooley, Miss Pooley, Mrs. Thompson, Mrs. David Miller, Mrs. Mayhew, Mrs. L. H. Hardie, Mrs. P. A. E. Irving, Mrs. L. R. Kent, Mrs. L. A. Genge, Mrs. Catterall, Mrs. McTavish, Mr. W. R. Guyer, Mrs. Brennan, Major Langley, Major Cuthbert Holmes and Mr. Adams Beck.

Out of town visitors are still playing over the local golf courses in considerable numbers, and the following registered at the Victoria Golf Club, Oak Bay, during the last few days: From Vancouver, Mr. and Mrs. Martin Griffin, Miss MacRae, H. T. McCulloch, Mrs. D. Montgomery, Mr. and Mrs. Waghorn, W. K. Crawford, W. C. Irwin, P. L. Lifford and Miss James M. Frost; from Nanaimo, D. P. Davis, A. G. Pringle, J. F. Lyon, D. W. S. Ramsay, Miss A. W. Lyon and C. A. Foster; from Seattle, J. Stevenson, A. Gerdel, R. D. Merrill, C. W. Steinson, A. Schofield, F. Jerome, G. A. Grant, G. C. Wheeler, W. E. Clarke, M. F. Bryan, J. Heffernan, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Edin, and E. D. Sewall; also E. H. Craig, California; E. S. Read, Winnipeg; L. C. Boyd, Toronto.

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DUNCAN

Mr. W. W. Baer, of Victoria, has been in Duncan for the past few days.

Mr. Kenneth Murchie has left for Surf Inlet, where he expects to remain for about a year.

Mr. Vernon Tarlton has left for Portland, Ore., where he is entering the North Pacific Dental College.

Mr. and Mrs. G. B. Coburn have returned to Duncan after three weeks' visiting in Winnipeg, Toronto and other points.

Mr. and Mrs. A. Wilson with baby daughter have left for Penitence, where Mr. Wilson will take charge of a ranch during the absence of the owner in England.

Thursday afternoon Miss Frances Lasenby was the guest of honor at a prettily arranged shower at the home of Mrs. James Duncan; Miss Daisy Savane taking charge of the arrangements. A lovely assortment of gifts was presented and the party was a most enjoyable one. The guests included Mr. and Mrs. H. Peterson, the gentlemen of the progressive card game.

On Thursday evening the Cowichan Women's Institute gave a very enjoyable card party in its rooms, progressive five hundred appeared to be the popular game, while individual tables of whist and bridge were made up. In all, there were 11 tables of cards. In the progressive five hundred, Mrs. H. Peterson carried off the honors for the ladies, and Mr. Allan for the gentlemen; Mrs. Labron taking the ladies' consolation prize, and Mr. H. Peterson the gentlemen's consolation. Refreshments were served, this being in charge of the directors of the institute, Mrs. Griggs and Mrs. Allen took charge of the general arrangements, and Mr. T. Pitt convoked the arrangements for the progressive card game.

Miss Rachel Wilson, whose marriage to Mr. G. Treffer Cornfield takes place next week, was the recipient of a very delightfully arranged "kitchen shower" at the home of Mrs. W. A. Willett, Eagle Heights, Thursday afternoon. She was the recipient of a lovely assortment of kitchen utensils. Mrs. F. R. Godding and Mrs. Willett in serving. Solos were rendered during the afternoon by Mrs. Mann, Mrs. W. E. Christmas and Miss Edith Bevan, Mr. W. A. Willett acting as accompanist. The presentation was a pretty ceremony, the gifts being placed in a large wicker basket, which was a gift in itself, and which had been gaily decorated for the occasion with autumn-tinted foliage and a half-moon of asters and green foliage forming the handle, tied with streamers of white ribbon; the little Misses Joyce and Shirley Godding acting as fairy guides to disclose the "wonder basket."

SAANICH

Lealie Starling, recently employed on the S.S. Heatrice, is at present staying with his father at Saanichton.

Mrs. J. McLean and daughters paid a visit to Mrs. Strohm, of Tod Inlet, on Wednesday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. H. B. Wollen and son, who have been spending the Summer months in Winnipeg, returned to their home at Keating on Thursday.

Miss Gladys Guy, a recent graduate of the Sprott-Shaw Business Institute, who received the highest certificate obtainable at that school, has assumed her new duties as a member of the office staff of J. G. Prior & Co.

Miss E. Porter, who has been visiting in Vancouver for several weeks, was the guest of her cousin, the Misses MacTavish, a couple of days during the present week.

Mr. R. Thomas, manager of the Empress Hotel laundry, who has been enjoying a fortnight's holiday, part of which was spent with relatives at Colwood, is now, together with his wife, the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas, "Bryn-y-Mor."

Two young ladies who have traveled from Coast to Coast on a prolonged holiday, paid a visit to the Butchart Gardens on Friday morning, and despite the lateness of the season, found much to enjoy. They were particularly impressed with the Sunken Gardens and the beautiful entrance thereto. The visitors were Miss Anna Albert and Miss Fay Israeloff, both of New York City.

Miss E. M. Parrell has returned home after spending a few days with her aunt, Mrs. M. J. Little, Delta Road. On Tuesday she was the guest of honor at a miscellaneous shower arranged by fellow employees of the B.C. Telephone Exchange, and among a variety of beautiful and useful gifts was a handsome silver tea service and tray given by the staff. The affair was held at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Little, and a jolly evening with games and music, followed by refreshments, concluded the festivities.

SALT SPRING ISLAND

Mrs. Halley, of Ganges, leaves on Monday, for a week's visit to Victoria.

Mrs. Norman Wilson returned on Tuesday from Victoria, where she had been visiting.

Mrs. Chaplin, who has been on a visit to her son at Vancouver Bay for several months, has sailed for England.

Lieut.-Col. Peters, of Victoria, has been visiting his son at Ganges, where he was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. Oxenham for a few days.

Mrs. Day, of Vancouver, has been visiting Ganges, where she was the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Lane, of North Salt Spring, for a week.

Mr. H. W. Bullock, of Ganges, returned home from Victoria on Tuesday, after visiting his sister, Mrs. E. A. Crofton, for a week.

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Entries So Far Made Indicate That Annual Agricultural Exhibition Will Break All Records.

The officers and directors of the North and South Saanich Agricultural Society have every reason to be pleased with the outlook for their 1922 exhibition, and it is confidently expected that a new record will be made.

Entries have been coming in steadily during the week and each class is going to have keen competition.

Great interest is being displayed by the school children in the list of events on the sports programme, and the committee in charge of this part of the day's activities is leaving nothing undone that will add to the pleasure of those attending.

Two special prizes are being offered, as follows: Silver cup, donated by D. Spencer, Esq., of Victoria, for any school composed of more than two rooms, making the most points in the school sports programme. The second cup is donated by the Saanich Athletic Association, and this will be presented to any school of two

rooms or less making the most points in the school sports programme.

Those who have been appointed to act as judges include the following: Livestock, Mr. G. Mackie; poultry, Mr. H. Reed; domestic science, Mrs. A. Carter; handicraft, Miss Noonan and Mr. Jones, of the Sprott-Shaw Business Institute; painting, Mrs. L. Jewell; ladies' work, Miss Reid, of D. Spencer, Ltd.; art goods department, fruit, Mr. Fies; grains, grasses, roots and vegetables, Mr. Robertson.

METHODIST CHAIRMEN

Heads of Sixteen Standing Committees Named and Conference in Progress at Toronto

TORONTO, Sept. 28.—The following is a list of chairmen of the 16 standing committees of the convention. Evangelism and Social Service—Rev. Hugh Hughson, Regina; Church Union—J. C. M. Patrick, Yorkton, Sask.; Educational—Dr. J. M. Palmer, Saskatoon, N.B.; Memorial—Rev. M. R. Finlay, Lake Saskatchewan, Alta.; Course of Study—Rev. W. S. Lennon, D.D., Kingston; Missionary Committee—Rev. C. B. Kennedy, Regina; Sunday Schools and Young People's Society—Rev. F. E. Mallon, Belleville, Ont.

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CURRIE STARTED SMASH OF HUNS

FOUR YEARS AGO BEGAN FINAL MOVEMENT OF WAR

Lord Byng Calls Canadian Attack Most Difficult Manoeuvre Attempted on Western Front

(Written for the Canadian Press) Lord Byng of Vimy described the plan of attack by the Canadian Corps on the Canal du Nord, successfully carried out on the morning of Friday, September 27, 1918, as the most difficult manoeuvre yet attempted on any battlefield in the war to date. He tasked the plan over with the corps commander, Sir Arthur Currie, during a visit he paid to corps headquarters at Neuville Vitasse a few days before the battle opened. Byng knew the difficulties of the ground, for in the previous November he led his Third Army in his assault on Cambrai from the south, without artillery preparation, the way for the infantry being opened by a rolling barrage and heavy tanks. That attack was a great success in its initial stages, and would have been carried far into the enemy's lines had Byng behind him the fresh reserves required. These, unfortunately, were being dug up in Flanders before Passchendaele, and included the Canadian Corps, but it remains a fact that the tactics introduced by Byng in November, 1917, remained the model for attack both for ourselves and the enemy during the rest of the war.

The crossing of the Canal du Nord marked the opening of the last stage of the Battle of Cambrai. The battle began on August 26 with the Canadian Corps' attack east of Arras, this first stage culminating in the smashing of the Hindenburg line, here known as the Drocourt-Quant Switch, by the corps on September 2. Thereafter the corps lay for three weeks in the desolation of No Man's Land confronting the Canal du Nord. The enemy held the high land on the east bank and commanded the whole corps area with their artillery. They also held the high land north of the Scarpe and the Sennece and poured in an incessant flank fire on our communications. Yet, in the absence of a heavy rain, converted the clay land into a quagmire. The men lived in the elaborate system of dugouts captured from the Boches and there was every appearance that they must stay there through the winter. The Canal du Nord appeared impregnable.

Mud and Massacre

During these three weeks considerable advances had been made further south by the British third and fourth armies and the French. But no definite breach had been won through the enemy's fortified lines. On the immediate front of the Canadian Corps was the formidable Canal du Nord, an unfinished work at the opening of the war, but filled with water except at one narrow spot in front of Inchy-en-Artois. Back of the canal, that is to say, east towards Cambrai, the ground sloped sharply up, crowned by the famous Bourlon Wood, captured by Byng in 1917, but subsequently lost. These heights and the plain beyond immediately north of Cambrai were covered with trench systems, fortified by concrete machine gun posts. Even if the canal were successfully breached, very heavy fighting lay beyond.

September was wearing on. Weather conditions in October might bring the advance to a halt, with another winter in the trenches. It became vitally important that a breach be made right through the enemy's prepared positions, with the object of rolling up his line north and south. And once again the Canadian Corps was selected for the task. The corps commander was in-

structed to attack on his immediate front. He demurred. He pointed out that the corps lay in the watery triangle bounded by the Canal du Nord on the east and the Sennece, with its marshes, on the north. To attack there meant to invite defeat. A slaughter worse than Passchendaele, where at least there was a definite and attainable military objective. He made counter-proposal, and these finally were accepted, leading to the last stage of the Battle of Cambrai, September 27-October 2, to the fall of Cambrai on October 9, and, what was infinitely more important, the complete breach of the enemy's fortified area, forcing him to fall back rapidly on to the line of the Scheldt.

To Take Canal du Nord
During September the corps area roughly comprised the ground bounded on the south by the Arras-Cambrai Road, on the east by the Canal du Nord, and on the north by the Sennece. The enemy's line stretched in a wide sweep north of the Scarpe from well to the northwest of and behind the left of the corps, east to the flooded areas of the Sennece and thence sharply south along the Canal du Nord. On the defensive, therefore, the corps had two fronts. In attack, easterly, that is to say, across the canal and up the opposing slopes, it was essential that a left flank be built up as the battle progressed. Our right flank would rest naturally on the Scheldt Canal. The second and third Canadian Infantry Divisions were in the line.

What Sir Arthur Currie proposed was to slide-slip south from this area to south of the Arras-Cambrai Road, and then attack in the form of a spearhead across the dry area of the Canal du Nord on a front of not more than a mile and a half. The canal once crossed at Inchy-en-Artois, which lies midway between the flooded areas north and south of Saint-les-Marquion and Moeuvres respectively, the corps was then to fan out on a front of 15,000 yards. Its left wing enveloping from the enemy's rear the force with which he was carrying out his advance, the right and centre pushed on to the assault on Bourlon Wood and Marquion. This operation, fraught with peril as it was, became more difficult still by reason of the enemy still holding Inchy and Moeuvres on the left or west bank of the canal, while troops of the third army had failed to dispossess them.

Work of Engineers

Conditions of success depended on the concentration of a tremendous barrage of artillery, great and small, on a narrow front, with provision that so soon as the canal was crossed our field artillery should follow forward to support the infantry in the final assault on Bourlon Wood. A very wonderful barrage, concentric in its action, was devised by the Canadian Royal Artillery, Major-General E. W. B. Morley, G.O.C., designed not only to smash the enemy's frontal position, but by laying down a barrier of fire behind his troops north of Inchy, to hem them in against their advancing left wing enveloped them. All this was successfully carried out, and the battle in its upshot was a triumph for the technical skill and resource of the Canadian gunner. Not less important was the work of the Canadian Engineers, Major-General W. B. Lindsay, G.O.C. "The work presented many unusual features," says the corps commander in his narrative. "In the first place the Canal du Nord was passable on the corps scale on a front of 2,500 yards only. This meant that four divisions had to be got through this narrow 'defile', and, in addition, there were engineers, machine gunners and all the supply trains of various descriptions. To add to these difficulties the canal had to be bridged in many places, especially to permit the passage of guns and limbers. "At the very outset, therefore, the success of the battle devolved upon the engineers. While the infantry, under cover of the artillery barrage, might carry the Canal in the first rush, it was essential that guns and ammunition be brought forward across the canal as soon as possible. To do this bridge was a necessity. The task set the engineers was of vital importance."

Foretaste of End

For the purpose of the attack the 11th British Division, which had been transferred to the Canadian Corps, from the attack on the Drocourt-Quant Switch, again took part in the attack, forming the left flank of the corps, and being entrusted, after the breach was made, with mopping up the east bank of the canal as far north as the Sennece. The frontal attack was entrusted to the fourth and first Canadian divisions, with the third Canadian division in support on the right.

It was vital that the enemy should have no warning of the impending onslaught. In fact, he felt himself secure behind the almost impregnable line of the Canal du Nord, and once again was caught napping. The side-slip of the corps south to the new area was, therefore, made at night, September 26-27. It was dark and stormy, with a heavy artillery duel in progress throughout. "Zero" hour was set for 5:20 a.m., and long before that every gun and every man was in position, with a battery trained pointblank on the unsuspecting enemy in the village of Inchy. By almost incredible exertions a great supply of munitions, bridging materials, including provisions for a number of steel bridges, and everything requisite for the attack was pushed up by our engineers almost to our jumping-off line.

The scene was thus set for the opening of the last battle on the great scale to be fought by the Canadian Corps, a battle which, with its swaying fortunes, its desperate fight for the plateau northeast of Cambrai, did not come to a definite decision, was not crowned with victory, until six days later, when only at a cost heavier than anything before paid by the Canadian Corps. But in its complete success it broke the enemy's organized resistance and prepared the way for his surrender six weeks later.

HEAVIEST MOVEMENT OF GRAIN IN WEST

WINNIPEG, Sept. 29.—Declared to be the heaviest grain movement in the history of the Canadian West, the last week has been marked by extraordinary heavy receipts and shipments. For the week receipts totalled 14,917 cars, as against 5,746 cars last year. There were 13,243 cars of wheat received, 27 cars of oats, 222 cars of barley and 473 cars of rye. The grading of all grains is excellent. Heavy inspection is also reported to be in sight, with 2,450 for inspection Saturday.

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CITY HALL BECOMES TREASURY OF ART

Walls Are Hung With Pictures Old and New—New Council Is Photographed

Sweeping changes in the mural decorations of City Hall offices have been carried out during the last two weeks, and a hint that more were to come was given out yesterday when it was announced that the Mayor and all the aldermen posed in the afternoon for a group photograph.

"The picture will be hung in the Council Chamber," announced Mayor William Marchant last night. "I do hope it will turn out well."

Efforts are now being made to obtain the photographs of every Mayor that has served Victoria since its incorporation.

"We may have to use snapshots in some cases and enlarge them, but we are doing our best to locate them," said Mr. John Baxter, secretary to the Mayor. "There will be about thirty in all. They will decorate the Council Chamber."

In the new scheme for beautifying the Council Chamber the elaborate and highly colored painting of the British Coat-of-Arms, which for years has occupied about a hundred square feet of space behind the Mayor's dais had to go. Old-time habits of the City Hall hated to see it removed, but the Council committee could see neither beauty nor purpose in the thing. A mounted portrait of the late Thomas Harris, first mayor of Victoria, takes its place.

It was one of the building's show pieces.

The Reason For It
"No special significance in it, of course, and that's why they moved it," said Mr. Bradley yesterday, with a touch of pathos in his voice. "It was rather attached to it, though. You see, it was in this office thirty-one years."

Then there were the portraits of William Lee, who succeeded Alexander Austin in 1870 as city clerk, and of William King Bull, who was the returning officer at elections in Victoria half a century ago. These pictures remain. They, too, have held a place on the walls of the City Clerk's office for more than thirty years.

The office of Mr. Baxter has become a veritable art gallery. Not only does it boast the possession of a large portrait of Lady Aberdeen, and an early photograph of Sooke Lake,

but also an autographed picture of Takamura Fushimi, who visited here years ago, and the picture of the city of York, which Mr. Bradley parted with so reluctantly.

But gone from Mr. Baxter's office is the mirror which used to stand over the mantelpiece. Thousands of people have stared into that mirror to adjust their ties and hats before entering the Mayor's office. Now it hangs in a place reserved for the photographs of Lord and Lady Byng and past vice-mayors—the sanctum of Mayor Marchant.

HEARST WITHDRAWS

SYRACUSE, N.Y., Sept. 29.—W. A. Deford, W. H. Hearst's personal representative here, today gave out a message from Mr. Hearst requesting that his name not be allowed to go before the Democratic state convention.

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COAST BOXERS SHOW UP WELL IN THE EAST

Pacific Coast boxers are taking prominent part in the various boxing shows of the Eastern slope. A recent New York paper's flattery columns is well sprinkled with the names of boxers from these parts. Here are a few items clipped at random:

Floyd Johnson knocked out Larry Williams in nine rounds.
"Irish" Johnny Curtin scored a technical knockout over Bud Ridley in the tenth round.

Billy Macool knocked out Frankie Coster in two rounds.
George Shade won the decision over Harry Silva in ten rounds.

Billy Shaw beat Jack McCalland in seven rounds, referee stopping the bout.

Alex Trambitta won the verdict over Steve Latta.

SENIOR SOCCER STARTS TODAY

West and Mets Meet at Athletic Park—English and Scottish Teams Will Mix at Beacon Hill

Football will get off to a fresh start today, when the senior league will usher in its season with two matches on the day's programme. With final arrangements rather rushed at the last minute the clubs were yesterday unable for the most part to announce their definite lineups for today's games, and interest will be very keen in the opening encounter, which will give the game's followers here an insight into the relative strength of the four teams which will furnish the competition for the soccer laurels of the city.

The Wests in signing up some strong players to add to the strength of their club, which was already far from weak, and with the green shirts playing the role of the Mets, in the opening game today, and including in their lineup more than one of last year's Metropolis team, the engagement between these two rivals is hardly likely to be of the pink tea brand. The Mets had not announced their lineup last night, but still, without a doubt, not have anything but a strong team to bring against the doughty warriors from Victoria West.

While these two teams are battling at the Royal Athletic Park, Beacon Hill will be the scene of a clash between England and Scotland. The Sons of England have not made their lineup public, but the Thistles have got together a formidable bunch of players and will prove a tough aggregation for the Englishmen to handle.

The Crusaders will hold a practice this afternoon at Central Park, at 2:30 p.m., at which all players and supporters of the club are asked to make a special effort to be present. An urgent call is also issued to all members of the Sons of Canada football club to attend a practice at Beacon Hill.

The Thistles will field a team formed from the following players: Hewitt, Burton and Tuckwell; Roe, Ord and Falchen; Barrie, Swan, Southern, J. Watt, T. Watt, Muir, Potter and Wright, all of whom are asked to be at the Veterans of France rooms at 2:15 p.m. The Wests will rely on Ledgers and Shanks. An urgent call is also issued to all members of the Sons of Canada football club to attend a practice at Beacon Hill.

Rugby will be rather later in getting under way, but a notice is out calling for all members of the B.C.A. team members at Oak Bay, at 3 o'clock.

MRS. MALLORY WINS IN THREE MATCHES

Will Meet Miss Browne Today in the Final of Tennis Singles at Ardsley.

ARDSLEY, N.Y., Sept. 29.—Sweeping through to victory in three matches today, Mrs. M. B. Mallory, of New York, national women's tennis champion, won places in both tomorrow's singles and doubles finals of the Ardsley club's invitation tournament.

Mrs. Mallory defeated Miss Leslie Bancroft, of West Newton, Mass., in a singles semi-final, 6-0, 6-4, and earned the right to play Miss Mary K. Browne, of Los Angeles, No. 2 on the ranking list, in the final round. Paired with Mrs. Gouverneur Morris, of New York, Mrs. Mallory won two doubles matches in straight sets. In the first they defeated Miss Rosemond Newton, of Boston, and Mrs. Roger Walling, of New York, 6-2, 6-2, and in the semi-final eliminated Mrs. Marshall McLean and Mrs. George H. Chapman, of New York, 6-2, 6-2.

The Mallory-Morris team will oppose in the final round Miss Bancroft and Mrs. Benjamin F. Briggs, of New York, who were victorious in the other semi-final yesterday.

GRASS HOCKEY TODAY

Practices Will Be Held Today at the Jubilee Hospital—Secretary Is Arranging Matches

The Victoria Grass Hockey Club will hold full practices this afternoon on the Jubilee Hospital ground at 3 o'clock. The grounds have been marked out and prepared in readiness for the games.

The honorary secretary is arranging a series of games, which will include matches with Duncan, Salt Spring, Oak Bay, Parkville, and other clubs, apart from the matches against the Mainland for the O. B. Allan Cup, won last season by the local combination.

It is sincerely hoped that good support will be given to the proposal to run Wednesday games. All interested in this scheme are requested to get in touch with the secretary either at today's practice or by telephone or mail.

It is hoped to hold the first of the monthly club meetings in October. Everyone's sympathy is extended to the honorary treasurer, who recently had his arm broken and wrist dislocated.

DUNCAN GOLFERS ARE KEEN AFTER TROPHY

DUNCAN, Sept. 29.—Much interest is being shown in the perpetual challenge button in connection with the local golf club. Mr. H. F. Prevost won it and defended it against three challengers, and then on Tuesday last lost it to Mr. C. C. Ward. On Thursday Mr. Ward defended it against Mr. W. L. Young in an excellent match. Mr. Ward maintaining his honors by defeating Mr. Young by one stroke on the 18th hole.

BATTLING SIKI IS SIGNED BY RICKARD

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Batting Siki, the Senegalese negro, who sprang into world-wide public prominence by knocking out George Carpenter in Paris last Sunday, will fight in this city on or about Thanksgiving Day. No word as yet has been received from Madison Square Garden fight promoter, who stated that he had received Siki's acceptance to meet any light-heavyweight on that date who might be named by Rickard.

GARRISON CLOSING SUCCESSFUL SEASON

Rifle Team Has Won Large Number of Trophies This Season—Shooting Today for Vaux Cup

With the rifle shooting season almost brought to a close, the Garrison Rifle Club is about ready to conclude one of the most successful seasons since its formation about sixteen years ago. The Garrison Rifle Club, which has a membership of about one hundred, is the second oldest in Victoria, the 5th C. G. A. being the oldest club in existence in this city.

The Garrison made a favorable showing in the last meet of the British Columbia Rifle Association held at Heale's Range this summer. Their team was composed of the following: Major Phipps, M. S. Evans, Corporal Shroobree, Sergeant Armstrong, Private Martin and Private Austin.

In the second stage of the Governor's Cup four members of the Garrison made a favorable showing, and were well up in the list. Private Sweeney, of the P. P. C. L. I., was the most successful individual competitor from the Garrison, and his name appeared in the prize lists quite often.

In addition to the above the Vancouver Rifle Club, Q. M. S. Murray, of the Royal Canadian Engineers, won this trophy. At Ottawa, too, the Garrison were well represented by the following N. C. O.'s and men: Corporal Sweeney, Corporal Sweeney, Private Sweeney, Corporal Snaddon and Private Martin. Sergeant Armstrong, R. C. G. A., was also selected to go, but was unable to make the trip on account of his duties claiming him here.

Private Sweeney, of the P. P. C. L. I., again proved to be a real shot, and at Ottawa made a very favorable showing. The remainder of the men also did well.

Vaux Cup Shoot Today
Only two competitions remain to be shot off by the Garrison, these being the Vaux Cup, which has been called for by Captain Best, veterinary officer of the district, to encourage rifle shooting amongst the second and third class shots of the club, and the Wadmore Cup. This trophy was presented to the Garrison by the club by Colonel Wadmore in the year 1911, this officer at that time being in charge of the Garrison.

The Wadmore Cup was won in the first year by M. J. Collins, of the R. C. A., and at the present time is held by Master Gunner Collins, of the same unit. As soon as preparations can be made this trophy will be shot off and the competition will bring together all the best shots of the Garrison.

The Vaux Cup will be shot for today at the Garrison Range by the following N. C. O.'s and men of the Garrison: Q. M. S. Durling, R. C. O.; Q. M. S. Evans, R. C. O.; Private Martin, R. C. O.; Driver Nicholas, R. C. A. R. C.; Sergeant Dunlop, R. C. E.; Sergeant Henry, P. P. C. L. I.; Private Joiner, P. P. C. L. I.; Bdr. Pauline, and Gunner Clark, R. C. G. A.

When the Prince "played himself as captain on Wednesday, the following cable was sent by the R. C. Golfers: "The B. C. Golf Association offers Your Royal Highness its best wishes for your term of office as captain of the Royal and Ancient Club."

Yesterday the following reply was received from Buckingham Palace: "The Prince of Wales sends sincere thanks for your kind wishes on his becoming captain of the Royal and Ancient Club."

GOLFERS THANKED BY PRINCE OF WALES FOR KIND MESSAGE

His Royal Highness the Prince of Wales cabled to the B. C. Golf Association, on Wednesday, that he was glad to receive the cable message of that body's congratulations on his accession to the captaincy of the Royal and Ancient Club of St. Andrew's, Hamilton, Scotland, and the highest position attainable in the golfing world.

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LEAGUE BASEBALL

Friday's Games
At Philadelphia—Pirates 4, Athletics 3.
At St. Louis—Cardinals 4, Browns 3.
At New York—Yankees 4, Giants 3.
At Boston—Red Sox 4, Braves 3.
At Chicago—Cubs 4, White Sox 3.
At Cincinnati—Reds 4, Pirates 3.
At St. Paul—Twins 4, Athletics 3.
At Detroit—Tigers 4, Yankees 3.
At Cleveland—Indians 4, Browns 3.
At Kansas City—Rooters 4, Athletics 3.
At Philadelphia—Phillies 4, Athletics 3.

At Los Angeles—Angels 4, Athletics 3.
At Seattle—Mariners 4, Athletics 3.
At San Francisco—Giants 4, Athletics 3.
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MRS. GAVIN PLAYS IN FINAL TODAY

Will Be Opposed by Miss Collette in Last Stage of Fight for Ladies Golf Championship of U.S.

WHITE SULPHUR SPRINGS, Va., Sept. 29.—America will have a new lady golf champion tomorrow, new for the coming year and one on whose brow the national crown never before has rested. The semi-finals in the National tournament today left Miss Gienna Collette as the American hope to keep the title at home and pitted against her Mrs. William A. Gavin, who, if she is victorious, will carry the American championship to an English home.

Today's play eliminated Mrs. H. Arnold Jackson, Glenview, who was striving to regain the titular crown which she held in 1918 and again in 1914, and removed from the realm of possible champions Miss Edith Cummings, of Chicago.

The results of the day's matches were: Miss Collette defeated Miss Cummings, 2 up.
Mrs. Gavin defeated Mrs. Jackson, 4 up and 2 to play.

The final round will be over 36 holes, divided between morning and afternoon play. Past performances indicate a close contest.

Today's matches produced thrills for a plenty. Mrs. Gavin played superbly, the best game since she came to America, she said. But the brand of golf offered by Miss Collette was not the least interesting or easier to beat. Mrs. Jackson, while playing good golf, was not quite up to her standard, and the member of the Huntercombe English Club maintained the lead given her of three up on the fourth hole.

As between the two finalists there seems little to choose. Mrs. Gavin is favored for the first 18 holes because Miss Collette, youthful and enthusiastic though she is, has a tendency to start nervously. For the second 18, however, the Providence star is figured to have the advantage. Her play thus far has demonstrated that she improves steadily as the play progresses, while her opponent, on the other hand, has weakened slightly near the end.

WILLS LANDS KAYO ON CLEM JOHNSON

Lower Game—Stuck It Out, Though Badly Punished, Until Referee Stopped the Slaughter

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Harry Wills, New Orleans negro, won a technical knockout over Clem Johnson, South American boxer, in the thirteenth round of a scheduled fifteen-round bout at Madison Square Garden tonight. Johnson was battered so badly that he could not hold on and the referee stopped the fight one minute and 55 seconds after the going rang.

Johnson landed the first blow, a right to the head, but with it went his courage. Wills crashed lefts to the body and had his opponent hugging him before the first round ended. Johnson landed two lefts to the chest in the second, but held most of the way. Wills was warned for hitting in the breakaways. Wills kept pounding Johnson in the third, but the South American managed to stick through. Johnson was warned for hitting in the fourth and landed a sharp left as the fifth opened. Angered, Wills smashed ponderous right and kidney punches rushing Johnson to the ropes. The latter's left eye was closed.

Wills hammered Johnson without mercy in the sixth, but the latter stuck gamely.

Sarazen Will Not Defend His Title of Champion of South

NASHVILLE, Tenn., Sept. 28.—Gene Sarazen will not defend his title as open golf champion of the South in the fourth tournament here, according to a telegram received by officials in charge of the event. The Pittsburgh star who won the national opens at Skokie in July and followed that up by capturing the championship of the Professional Golfers' Association, at Pittsburgh, gave no reason for his decision. Club officials expressed the belief, however, that the cause when he cancelled the tour of the country a few days ago when last winter, had no intention of returning West, and the chances are he will also retire from the game.

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MITCHELL NOW LEADS CANNONBALL BAKER ENDS RECORD RIDE ACROSS CONTINENT

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—Edwin "Cannonball" Baker broke all preceding motorcycle records for transcontinental runs when he reached this city yesterday astride his wheel which he had ridden from Los Angeles. His elapsed time was six days, 22 hours and 52 minutes. The road distance between Los Angeles and New York is officially given as 3,296 miles.

UPLANDS GOLF CLUB

The draw for the trial match between the captain and secretary's teams of the Uplands Golf Club to be played tomorrow, has been amended, and is now as follows: The first named players being members of the captain's team:

A. V. Price vs. H. J. Darcus.
J. B. Henderson vs. A. M. Fairbairn.
W. G. Leith vs. E. D. Freeman.
John Reid vs. H. Collins.
S. H. De Carteret vs. J. Edmondson.
W. M. Thomson vs. H. J. Challenor.
W. Farry vs. P. Edmondson.
A. Elmola vs. A. F. Thomas.
A. Lawrie vs. C. Morrison.
R. Foulis vs. J. Caven.
D. M. Gordon vs. H. F. Haggburn.
G. Freely vs. Capt. Warder.
B. H. Staden vs. J. A. MacCallan.
P. D. Morrison vs. P. Toetevin.

The course will be closed from 9:15 a.m. until 10:30 a.m. in order that the players above may start. After 10:30 the course will be open to all. Four-ball matches will be played in the afternoon.

The usual monthly medal competition of the ladies of the club will be played tomorrow. Players may choose their own partners and can start any time during the day after 10:30 a.m.

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SPORTING NEWS

WEDNESDAY SOCCER STARTS NEXT WEEK

Four Teams in Which Entries Closed Last Night—Garrison Will Play Hudson's Bay in First Game

At a meeting of the Wednesday Football League, held last night, it was finally decided to start the league on Wednesday next, when the Garrison and Hudson's Bay will clash at the Garrison. The other game drawn was between Wellers and Fitz's team, but this game has been postponed until an open date.

Until last night things looked rather dark for this league, which up to that time had only three entries, but Percy Fitzsimmons, the local hockey player, came to the rescue and finally decided to enter a team in the Wednesday League. Although Fitz has entered a team, he is still in search of talent, and any player who is willing to play can get a game by interviewing Percy at his billiard parlour.

The game between the Garrison and the Hudson's Bay, which is scheduled to be played at Work Point on Wednesday at 2:45 p.m., with Billie Cull handling the whistle, will be the initial game of the league.

The Hays are reported to have formed a snappy team, in an effort to lift the Pandey Cup from the Wellers eleven, the present holders, while the Garrison need no introduction, as they have already proved their ability in the soccer field previously this season on two or three different occasions, and, should weather conditions be at all favorable, there should be a good crowd on hand to witness the first Wednesday League game of the season.

UP-ISLAND FOOTBALL

NANAIMO, Sept. 29.—The following team will represent the Davenport in their soccer game with South Wellington on Sunday—

Goal, Jackson; backs, Edmunds, Spurgeon, halves, P. Courtenay, McLeod, Thompson; forwards, Booth, Knight, Courtenay, Pura, Corbett, Deserves, Perry and Neave.

Northfield will field the following team, scheduled to play Ladysmith Sunday: Herd, Meredith, White, Wilson, Reinhard, Phillips, Marshall, Dunn, Burns, Spencer, J. Russell.

BASEBALL TODAY

This afternoon, at the Stadium, the Pirates and the Tynes will battle for the Junior baseball title. The game will start at 1:15. Cameron will pitch for the Pirates, while McLennan or Bothwell will pitch for the Tynes.

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DESCAMPS MAY TALK BUT SIKI TRIUMPHS

Francis Changes His Tune After French Boxing Federation Upholds Decision of Judges.

PARIS, Sept. 29.—The French boxing federation last night, in settling the controversy over the outcome of the bout between Battling Siki and Georges Carpentier, simply approved the judges' decision awarding the fight to Siki because Carpentier was "hors de combat."

The earnest plea of Francois Descamps, manager of Carpentier, for the addition of the phrase "through injury" was denied to avoid placing the defeat on record as being not due simply to Siki putting away his man in the customary manner.

The committee listened for three hours to oratory that at times became feverish, and which ended with the question by M. Decolin, a prominent sportsman, as to why Victor Breyer, organizer of the fight, Harry Bernstein, one of his employees, and M. Bennisson, a correspondent for Breyer's sportsman paper, were the officials of the fight. This unanswered question produced an instant chill, and the meeting soon adjourned.

Thoroughly Beaten

Descamps voiced a reconsidered view, saying he had no protest to make, and admitting that "Carpentier was beaten, and thoroughly beaten, by Siki." He said it was absolutely untrue that Carpentier did not try to win in the first and second rounds; he tried, but could not. He added that Georges broke his left thumb in the first round and the right thumb in the second round on Siki's head. Others, however, reminded the manager that both he and Carpentier had previously asserted Georges did not do his best. Bernstein, as the referee, attempted to have his signature withdrawn from the fight decision, saying he did not know what he had signed, but the federation ruled he would have to stand by it.

FOUR ONTARIO CLUBS PLAN HOCKEY LEAGUE

SAULT STE MARIE, Ont., Sept. 29.—At a meeting of the Sault, Sudbury and Port Arthur and Fort William hockey teams here last night, it was decided, pending approval of the N.O.H.A. and Thunder Bay League officials, to form a hockey league this winter to be known as the Big Four League. The schedule will be a double one and the Soo and Sudbury teams will decide the winner of the southern group of the N.O.H.A., and they will play against the north champions for Allan Cup honors. Fort William and Port Arthur will also retain their identity in the Thunder Bay League.

A cup will be put up for competition among the four teams.

QUILT MATCH POSTPONED

Club Handicaps Will Be Played as Usual—Meeting of Executive to Be Held After

The Island League quilt match, which was to have been played today at the Willows between the local club and Nanaimo, has been postponed. The regular club handicaps will be played. A meeting of the executive will be held after play.

TINY JIM HERMAN MAKES A SENSATIONAL FINISH

ROSEB, Sept. 29.—A rapid-fire series of alternating right and left hooks to the face gave "Tiny" Jim Herman a sensational knockout over Jack McCarthy, of Dallas, Tex., in the second round of a scheduled 10-round heavyweight main event here last night.

Herman, a Portland heavyweight, was given the greatest ovation ever accorded an out-of-town fighter in Roseb in several years.

SPECULATION ON GERMANY'S GAME

There are two main currents of opinion in Germany at the present hour; one, held in financial and industrial circles mainly, is to the effect that a fresh war must at all costs be avoided, and which almost invariably among all classes outside those limited circles throughout the country, has adopted and assimilated the view that a new and even more successful campaign would relieve the embarrassments of the country and thereby benefit the Allies, and they possessed an able and plausible spokesman in the recently murdered Dr. Rathenau. They have also found a useful collaborator in President Ebert, whose popularity has grown with each proof of his pliancy. Such jetsam and fotsam easily disappear in his view.

Ludendorff a Leader

At the head of the other body of opinion are Ludendorff and his group of generals conning their maps, noting their resources, increasing the stores of poison gas, striving by every art of calumny to terminate the participation of the territory pledged for the fulfilment of German promises, so that they may carry their offensive, whenever the time for it arrives, outside German territory, and extending their intrigues east and west, so that a renewed struggle for Teutonic supremacy may again have the aspect of a world war. This is the party that has the secret good wishes of all Germans, by whatever name they may call themselves in politics, many of whom are waiting only for an encouraging signal to break out in a passion of white heat, rage, rancor, vindictiveness and frightfulness to establish pan-Teutonism over the few Allies who may then hold together. The leaders are cool and calculating, but for hotheads the doves they are instilling into the youth of Germany may prove too potent for self-restraint.

Monarchists Get Control

The German National and Monarchical party is rapidly acquiring complete control of all the country's resources and arranging all its forces not only for the restoration of the monarchy and the violent suppression of the republic, if it be too obstructive, but for a new war of revenge based on the repudiation of the Treaty of Versailles. It is curious to find that before the date of the treaty with the Soviet, on the assumption that Russia is destined to be Germany's co-operator, and in the second place, on the conviction that the suspicious of England can be lulled until the moment for the German plotters to strike has arrived and that for Britain's useful intervention has passed.

Confirmation of these statements it may be affirmed that all the Allied Governments possess proofs beyond dispute that all lists, not only of the German army that was in the field in the Autumn of 1918, but of the annual contingents liable since the peace for service under the old system, nominally abrogated by its terms, have been carefully preserved and kept up to date, and thus the machinery is ever ready to convert these millions of citizens, without delay or friction, into regiments, divisions and army corps.

Poison Gas Plentiful

As for arms and armament, it is known that, despite the destruction accomplished by the commissions of inspection, the stocks and supplies are simply incalculable, while the means for turning out poison gas were never so abundant as they are at the present time. It is to illicit auxiliaries of toxic description that the military authorities of Germany are looking above everything else at the present time to turn the scale of victory in their favor. Whatever may happen in consequence of precipitation on the part of the elected section of the nation, or of the aroused apprehensions of the intended victims, the leaders of this organized national movement are in favor of patience. They rely most of all on the ultimate consequences of the present up-bringing and inspiration of the youth of Germany in an atmosphere of recalcitrance and undying hatred to the Allies, and beyond them to everything that is not German.

Taught in Schools

In all the schools, at the colleges and universities, the order of the day is to keep alive and stimulate the old imperial tradition and the military spirit; in other words, the hateful Prussian system equally dear to Thomas Carlyle and General Ludendorff. The text books in all these educational institutions are those in use under the old regime. Where additions have been made they are exaggerations, not moderations, of the teaching of Treitschke and Bernhardi. The scholars and students are taught "if frightfulness failed, super-frightfulness is to triumph." All the teachers and professors are imbued with this implacable and vindictive spirit, and are fanatical in their advocacy of the doctrines they have accepted and promulgated to expound. Those among them who falter or attempt to qualify their ruthless application are promptly denounced and rebuffed. The victims are ostracized and declared ineligible for all Government employment.

Copper and mica abound in eastern townships of Quebec

FRANCE TO HONOR PASTEUR'S MEMORY

Centenary of Famous Scientist Will Be Suitably Marked by Countrymen

Louis Pasteur was undoubtedly France's greatest contribution to the world of science, and the centenary of his birth, which will shortly occur, will be celebrated with suitable honors in the land of his birth and by scientists everywhere. It is possible that there will be one exception to the world-wide outpouring of tribute to Pasteur's memory. Germany might well hold aloof, for there was a notable passage of arms between Pasteur and a body of German scientists at the time of the Franco-Prussian war. Pasteur had been honored by a degree from the University of Bonn, but after the Germans had bombarded the Natural History Museum of Paris in 1871, he returned, his diploma, and the following exchange of letters proceeded:

"The sight of this parchment is now hateful to me," Pasteur wrote to the Dean of Bonn, "and I feel it an insult to have my name, which you have qualified with the title of virum clarissimum, associated with one who is doomed from henceforth to the execration of my fellow-countrymen, that of a Res Quasi Simus."

"While loudly proclaiming my respect for you and for the celebrated professors who have appended their signatures to the decision of the members of your body, I obey the voice of my conscience in asking you to erase my name from the archives of your Faculty and to take back this diploma as a token of the indignation inspired in a French scientist by the barbarity and hypocrisy of one who, in order to gratify his criminal pride, persists in the massacre of two great nations."

The Dean of the University sent this reply:

"Sir: The undersigned, Dean of the Faculty of Medicine of Bonn, is charged with replying to the insult which you have dared to offer to the German nation in the sacred person of its august Emperor, King William of Prussia, by sending you the expression of his greatest contempt."

"DR. MAURICE NAUMANN."

"P. S. Wishing to preserve its archives from pollution, the Faculty herewith returns your libel."

Here is Pasteur's rejoinder:

"I have the honor to inform you, Mr. Dean, that at the present time an expression of contempt from the lips of a Prussian subject has, to a true Frenchman, a value equal to that of virum clarissimum with which you formerly described me in your official archives."

A Pasteur, a value equal to that of virum clarissimum with which you formerly described me in your official archives."

Though Pasteur's mind moved in the realm of pure science, he was a devoted patriot, and some of his most important discoveries were the

result of work to which he devoted himself for the sake of his country.

It was not primarily to satisfy his intellectual curiosity, for example, that he gave six years of his life to a study of the mysterious disease that was destroying the silk worms of France, and made the discovery which was to save billions of francs to this industry. Similarly he gave years to the study of the mystery that transformed wine into vinegar, the result of which was to save more billions to the French wine growers. Undoubtedly his most important discovery, which was to lead to the establishment of antiseptic surgery by Lord Lister, who made his acknowledgment to Pasteur in this note:

"Allow me to take this opportunity of thanking you most heartily for having shown me, by your brilliant investigations, the truth of your germ theory of putrefaction, and for having thus acquainted me with the one principle which can lead the antiseptic system to final success."

A poor student

Louis Pasteur was born of many generations of farming people. His father was a wealthy tanner and was able to satisfy the boy's ambition to become a doctor. Though he did become a doctor, he never wrote a prescription and never performed an operation. His course in college was by no means brilliant, but this is not surprising, for it has been well said that schools are not for geniuses. He was more interested in testing theories than in practical accomplishments, although the work of few scientists has had such practical results. One of the first questions that provoked his powerful curiosity concerned the curious, but apparently insignificant, fact that tartaric acid and parataric acid of sodium and ammonia, which have the same chemical composition, the same crystalline form, and present the same refraction when dissolved in water should yet give a different reaction to polarized light. One reflected it; the other remained inactive. Pasteur solved the problem, and as he did so, concluded that the slight difference in molecular constitution was probably important to microbes, a fact which was to be of assistance to him in further researches.

Partly Paralyzed for Years

In 1857, Pasteur became professor of chemistry at the Sorbonne, and induced the Emperor to found a laboratory of chemical physiology wherein he might carry on his experiments to the best advantage. But just as this dream was to be fulfilled he was seized with apoplexy, and thereafter, until his death in 1895, he was partly paralyzed. This grave misfortune did not put an end to Pasteur's investigations and discoveries. On the contrary, the greatest triumphs of his career were made in those years in which his physical activities were severely limited. His crowning glory, perhaps, was the discovery of a cure for rabies, a disease

that before his time was incurable. In his treatment of anthrax he gave the first example of what may be called bacteriotherapy. The treatment of milk, whereby it is freed of germs by the process that bears his name, was another discovery that came near the end of Pasteur's career.—Toronto Mail and Empire.

British Railways Plan Large Schemes Of Electrification

The Electricity Commissioners of Great Britain have issued a statement with regard to the supply of power for the proposed South-Eastern and Chatham Railway electrification. The railway company expects to complete the first stage of its electrification by June 30, 1925, and under the Trade Facilities Act have an arrangement with the Treasury for a loan of £6,000,000. The company proposed to erect a power station at Angerstein's Wharf, Charlton, capable of generating 60,000 kw., and claimed that this station could be subsequently enlarged to generate 150,000 kw., so that it would be in a position to supply the London, Brighton and South Coast Railway, in addition to meeting the requirements of its own further electrification programme. The Commissioners are not of opinion that the design of the power station would lend itself to expansion to the size contemplated, while they are of the opinion that it is possible that the West Kent Electric Company, Limited, and the County of London Electric Supply Company would both be in a position to supply current to the railway, if the necessary arrangements could be made. The West Kent Company is prepared to go ahead with its Belvedere station if it secures the contract with the railway company for supply for a minimum of sixty years. The County of London Electric Supply Company is prepared to supply a contract for twenty-five years. This supply would involve, among other things, a tunnel under the Thames for cables, but no difficulties are anticipated in connection with these points. The Commissioners, therefore, before giving a final decision consider that the railway should enter into negotiations with the supply companies to discuss actual terms of a contract, including a guarantee to indemnify the railway company in the event of the supply not being forthcoming at the required time. The Commissioners consider it possible that such a contract could be made.

New Lord Mayor

LONDON, Sept. 29.—Alderman Edward Cecil Moore was today elected Lord Mayor of London. He is a chartered accountant by profession and is the first member in that field to become lord mayor.

Pasha and French Envoy

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ing Randi Revolt.LONDON, Sept. 29.—A Reuter
cable from Pretoria, South Africa,
says the death sentence passed by
a special criminal court for cases
arising out of the Rand revolt of
some months ago, on a minor named
Stassen, who was convicted of killing
two natives, has been confirmed. The
death sentence on a man named
Brushow, for the murder of a native
policeman has been changed to life
imprisonment.First Labor College
SYDNEY, N.E., Sept. 29.—J. B.
Woodward, M.P. of Winnipeg, is
expected here today to assist Cape
Breton laborers in the organization
of what they hope to make the first
labor college in Canada. The college
has the solid support of the mem-
bership of District No. 26 of the
United Mine Workers of America.

At the Playhouses

"H.M.S. PINAFORE"
TO ARRIVE TODAYEver Popular Gilbert and Sullivan
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Royal TheatreThe Royal Victoria was packed
again last night for the second pre-
sentation of "The Bohemian Girl," by
the American Light Opera Company,
and the appreciation of the audience
was just as keen and as well sustained
as it was on the previous evening.
This afternoon and tonight will
bring the present engagement to a
close, when the ever-rejuvenated
"Pinafore" will be sung.The engagement has been a splen-
did success, and Victoria music and
amusement lovers will anxiously await
the return of this very talented organ-
ization."Pinafore" was the fourth in the
series of comic operas written by Gil-
bert and Sullivan. Earlier works on
which they collaborated were
"Thespis," "Trial by Jury" and "The
Sorcerer." When "Pinafore" was
produced at the Comique Theatre in
London, it proved a sensational suc-
cess, and ran for more than seven
hundred nights.One of the first companies to play
"Pinafore" in America was the
personnel a little girl named Sarah
Frost, who, as Julia Marlowe, has
become one of the world's greatest
interpreters of Shakespearean roles.In tonight's performance, George
Olson will sing Sir Joseph Porter,
Theo. Pennington will be the Joseph-
ine, and Paula Ayres will be the But-
tercup. Other members of the cast
will be Harry Frell, as Ralph Rack-
straw; Lee Bright as Billy Bobstay;
and Regina Manville as Hebe. The
veteran Ed. Andrews, will play the
role of Dick Deadeye.Brandon Brothers and Rex Reynolds
promise an excellent production of
"Pinafore." The company has estab-
lished itself in high favor with local
theatregoers by its spirited produc-
tions of "Robin Hood," "The Mikado"
and "The Bohemian Girl," and ca-
pacity houses are anticipated for both
performances today.DOMINION Rodolph Valentino's
reputation as a love-
maker is well-sustained in
"Blood and Sand," his first Para-
mount starring picture, which plays
at the Dominion Theatre. Well dif-
ferentiated but equally alluring are
his scenes with Lila Lee and Nina
Naldi, respectively, one a quiet, de-
mure type, the other, vivid, exot-
ic, passionate. Mr. Valentino himself
is colorful in a variety of costumes
showing his rise from a poor Spanish
boy to a place as a successful bull-
fighter and adol. of the Andalusian
"Blood and Sand," a Fred Nibbe pro-
duction, was adapted from the Vicente
Blasco Ibañez novel by June Mathis.
Players in the cast who deserve spe-
cial mention include Walter
Rosa, Rose Rosanova, Leo White, Fred
Hecker, Charles Belcher, George Field,
Dorcas Mathews, Harry Lamont, Jack
Winn and Gilbert Clayton.CAPITOL All records for sprinting
THEATRE have just been broken.
The victor Art Camp,
property man for Irvin Willat during
the filming of scenes in the Yosemite
for Mr. Willat's new production for
Paramount, "The Siren Call," featur-
ing Dorothy Dalton, and now show-
ing at the Capitol. Furthermore, the
runner in question didn't have an
open track, but had to dodge pine
trees and underbrush, falling trees
and clear anything else that
happened to be in his path. The race
was staged in the forests of the Yose-
mite, and Camp outdistanced his con-
tenders, Mr. Irvin Willat, who was
bearing, and left them far behind. Mr.
Willat had just put the property man
ashore from a motor boat and shoved
off to go further up the river to look
for a site. It was along towards dusk,
and no sooner had Camp touched foot
on terra firma and started in the di-
rection of the scene, where the com-
pany was encamped, than he found
himself face to face with the big
animals.COLUMBIA Harry Carey, famous
THEATRE star of Western dramas,
has leaped to the fore-
front again in "The Kick-Back," the
story of which was written by Mr.
Carey himself, and adapted by
George Edwards-Hall. It portrays in
vivid sequences the adventures of a
cowboy who is bested by a band of
thieves who covet his property and
his sweetheart. After many bitter
struggles, he wins a brilliant victory,
and the final scenes form one of the
biggest climaxes ever filmed upon the
screen. "The Kick-Back"—Mr. Carey's
first big production for Film Booking
Office of America, formerly Robert-
son-Cole, is showing last time today
at Columbia Theatre.PLAYHOUSE Anyone who has not
seen Playhouse Show
Number Four, in
which the feature is the potted comic
opera, "The Boy," has missed a great
treat, as the applause and enthusiasm
of the ever-increasing large audiences
go to show that it is to a large extent
the best performance Mr. Hincks has
presented since reopening this popu-
lar theatre. "The Boy" is scream-
ingly funny from start to finish. It
opens with the wife of the magistrate
of Bromley Street Court in a blue
funk for fear her husband will find
out that she has deceived him regard-
ing her age. The comical situations
that develop as a result are too funny
for words, and with the popular com-
edian, Mr. Ernie Patch, as the magis-
trate, the audience is in tears of
laughter all evening. Bright music.

AMUSEMENTS

The Screen
Capitol—"The Siren Call."
Columbia—Harry Carey in "The
Kick Back."
Dominion—"Blood and Sand."The Stage
Royal Victoria—Matinee and
night, "H. M. S. Pinafore."
Playhouse—"The Boy," potted
comic opera; nightly, 8:30; mat-
inee, Saturday, 2:30.well sung, interspersed with clever
dialogue and pretty dances, make up
an evening's entertainment second to
none. The last two performances of
Playhouse Show Number Four will
be the matinee and evening per-
formances, except for the fact that
have been in great demand, and those
wishing to attend should book early.CAIRO STREET IN
"BURNING SANDS" IS
TREMENDOUS SETA tremendous set, representing a
street in Cairo, is shown in George
Melford's splendid production of
"Burning Sands." Though nearly a
half-mile long, it would not be re-
markable except for the fact that
its full extent is used in night scenes
which involves the intensive use of
most of the sun-ray lamps of the
Paramount studio as well as extra
motor-generator sets above the three
owned by the studio.The "night-lighting" of such an area
entails a great expenditure of power,
but its full effect is strikingly seen
in this Paramount picture, which
comes to the Capitol Theatre next
week, and which features Wanda
Hawley and Milton Sills.CANADIAN SCENES
AT THE DOMINION
ON MONDAY NEXTThe faces of the members of the
company of "The Valley of Silent
Men," the new Cosmopolitan pro-
duction for Paramount, which will be
shown at the Dominion Theatre next
week, looked like fried steaks when
they had finished filming the picture
in the Canadian Rockies. The glare
of the sun on the snow burns the face
and eyes. The minute the camera
stopped grinding, handkerchiefs were
placed over their faces and dark
eye glasses put on, to ward off the
glare. Lights in picture studios are
considered hard on the eyes, but the
members of "The Valley of Silent
Men" said that the glare of the snow-
covered mountains of Canada have
nothing on the studios for hardness."THE STORM" TO
SHOW AT ROYAL
ALL NEXT WEEKDoes the honest man always know
the hypocrite when he sees him?
In his own honesty does he always find
room to suspect hypocrisy?
According to a thousand hand-
written notes and a great many pic-
tures, he does. He is usually pic-
tured in story or play as "spotting"
the "villain" right off the bat.
But that is literally hypocrisy, ac-
cording to House Peters, star of "The
Storm," the Universal-Jewel photo-
play at the Royal Victoria Theatre
next week, and Langdon McCormick,
author of the drama from which "The
Storm" was filmed.Their definite conclusion is that
the honest man is essentially stupid
when it comes to seeing through the
shallowness of others. Safe in his
own sterling uprightness, he seldom
recognizes the defects of others' character.McCormick believed that an honest
man could live with a hypocrite day
after day for months on end and
never suspect the moral weakness of
his companion, until some crisis
brought it out too plainly to be con-
fused with anything else.FAREWELL CONCERT
BY THE RADIOS NEXT
WEEK AT COLUMBIAThe clever and versatile aggrega-
tion of ex-active service entertainers
have been secured by the man-
agement of the Columbia Theatre to pay
a flying visit back to the city and
play a farewell show before they
continue on their tour east. Archi-
bald Pennington, the director of the
Radios, was pleased to accept the
suggestion, owing to the fine recep-
tion and great success they made
here. A complete, new programme
has been arranged. The management
of the popular theatre are paying
special attention to stage lighting for
the event, and a real good, snappy,
clean show is assured. Again
we say, don't miss this last oppor-
tunity of seeing something good.COMPLETE VICTORY
FOR MRS. STILLMANCARMEL, N.Y., Sept. 29.—James
A. Stillman, former president of the
National City Bank of New York,
was denied a decree in his suit for
absolute divorce against his wife,
Anne U. Stillman, and Baby Guy
Stillman was declared legitimate in
the findings of Daniel J. Gleason,
referee in the case, which were filed
here today.The referee's decision was a com-
plete victory for Mrs. Stillman.
Through his mother's victory, Guy
Stillman retains his rights as an heir
with his two brothers and his sister
to the \$8,000,000 trust fund created
for them by their grandfather, the
late James Stillman.Appointed Bankruptcy Trustee
OTTAWA, Sept. 29.—The follow-
ing have been appointed as author-
ized trustees under the Bankruptcy
Act: Joseph Lavoie, Montreal; Ed-
win Percy Baker, Vancouver; James
Hingston Doyle, Nelson, B.C.

HARVEST FESTIVAL

CELEBRATION AT CATHEDRAL
OPENED LAST EVENINGAnnual Thanksgiving Service at
Christ Church Will Be Con-
tinued TomorrowThe annual harvest thanksgiving
festival of Christ Church Cathedral
opened yesterday with choral even-
ing song conducted by Dean Quainton,
assisted by Rev. H. Pearson, vicar of
Colwood, who preached the sermon.
The Cathedral had been specially
decorated by the Chancel Guild, the
design including grain, vegetables,
fruits and flowers.Observance of the harvest thank-
sgiving festival in Christ Church
Cathedral will be continued at to-
morrow's services. Celebrations of
the holy communion will be held at
8 a.m. and after shortened matins at
11 a.m. The Dean of Columbia, Very
Rev. C. S. Quainton, will preach at
the 11 o'clock and 7 o'clock services.The choir will sing Maundy's set-
ting to the Te Deum at the 11 o'clock
service, followed by Woodward's
communion office. A festival service
for children will be conducted in the
Cathedral at 2:45 p.m. At the even-
ing service Christopher Marks' setting
to the Magnificat and Nunc Dimittis,
and Sir John Stainer's anthem, "Ye
Shall Dwell in the Land," will be
sung.The Cathedral authorities hope
that all Anglicans in the parish will
desire to attend the thanksgiving
services tomorrow, in gratitude for
the blessings of this year's harvest in
Western Canada and elsewhere, and
to take their part in contributing to
the work of the church.Special meetings will be held next
Monday and Tuesday, to which all
Cathedral parishioners and support-
ers are invited, when important mat-
ters bearing on the work of the
parish will be presented for consid-
eration, including preparation for the
mission to be conducted by the Rev.
Cyril Hickenbotham, of Mirfield, Eng-
land. These matters will be discussed
at each of three meetings, in order
to give opportunity for everyone to
attend whichever is most convenient.The first will take place in the
schoolroom on Monday afternoon, at
three o'clock, being open to all
women. The second on Monday even-
ing, at 8 o'clock, will be especially
for young people, and will form part
of the programme of the opening
meeting of the A. Y. P. A. The third,
for men and women, and any who
are unable to attend on Monday, will
be held on Tuesday evening at 8
o'clock.JOINT RECITAL
TO OPEN SEASONMrs. Gertrude Huntley Green and
Mr. Gideon Hicks Prepare Pro-
gramme for Ladies' MusicalIt is with the keenest pleasure that
Victoria looks forward to the joint
recital with which Mrs. Gertrude
Huntley Green and Mr. Gideon Hicks
will open the Ladies' Musical Club
Winter programme. This concert is
to take place on Thursday, October
5, at the Capitol Theatre, and as both
artists have prepared practically all
their numbers specially for this oc-
casion there will be novelty as well
as beauty in the programme.Mrs. Green's numbers will include
Brahms' Rhapsody in E Flat, among
the classics, and, in her modern
group, Prelude by Scriabine, De-
bussey's "Jardin sous la Pluie," and a
Prelude by Dohnanyi. None of
these has ever been played by Mrs.
Green on the local concert platform,
although many will recall her charm-ing performance of things by the
same composers.
Mr. Hicks has also been working
hard in the preparation of his num-
bers, which will include "Credo," the
big baritone aria from Verdi's
"Otello"; "Bon Soir," Debussy;
"Bon Jour, Suzanne," Debussy, and
"The Sea Hath Its Pearls," dedicated
to Mr. Hicks by the composer, Mr.
J. Douglas Macey. By request, Mr.
Hicks will sing the beautiful air from
"Elijah," "It Is Enough."ATTACH BANK ACCOUNT
OF GERMAN MAGNATESuit for \$2,055,185 Brought by James
A. Stillman for Services to
Hugo Stinnes.NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—The bank
account of Hugo Stinnes, the Ger-
man multimillionaire industrial mag-
nate, was attached today by order
of Supreme Court Justice Waser-
vogel in a suit for \$2,055,185 brought
by James A. Stillman for services
said to have been rendered to Stinnes
in the interest of floating a loan in
this country.A Mexican land owner recently
sold a farm of 6,000,000 acres.

McCormick Recovers

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DOMINION

TODAY

VALENTINO—"Blood and Sand"

By Vicente Blasco Ibañez

At 2:35, 5:05, 7:15 and 9:15
Prices: Adults, 40c; Children, 20c; Loges, 60c
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Dorothy DaltonIn an exciting drama of the dancing halls
of the great Northwest. Only the strong
will and rugged physique come through this
life of early and passion within and the
suspicious blindness without.Cameo Presentation
Dance of the Dutch Dolls
NEWS AND TOPICS
COMEDY EXTRA: "SPOOKS"

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"The Boy"Catching Songs, Pretty Dances, De-
lightful Comedy, All-Star Cast.Matinee at 2:30 Night, 8:30
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Sands"A Man's Flaming Answer
to "The Sheikh"A Thrilling Tale of Desert
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MR. F. T. C. WICKETT
WILL GIVE RECITAL
On Saturday, September 30
At 8 o'clock Doors open 7:45
Admission: Adults 50c, Children 25cMcCormick Recovers
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DOUGLAS FIR HAS TO MEET PREJUDICE

OLD COUNTRY CARPENTERS FIND FAULT WITH IT

Committee of Imperial Institute, However, Demolishes Dry-Rot Label, and Commends Species

The recent report of the Imperial Institute Committee exonerating Douglas fir from the susceptibility to dry rot, made against it by British users, will have much prejudice to sweep away, according to the statement made to The Canadian Export Pioneer by Messrs. Harding & Vick. This London firm was one of the pioneers in the introduction of Douglas fir in Britain, and Mr. Vick is chairman of the Importers' section of the London Timber Exchange. "Douglas fir is considered satisfactory for interior work," said the spokesman of the firm, "but builders will not use it for exterior work. It is a wide-grained wood and they do not think it will stand up and rain as well as yellow deal from the Baltic. They will not put it into concrete. Even for interior use there is some prejudice against Douglas fir. They say it will not take paint because it contains too much resin. The carpenters and joiners say it is very difficult to plane. To tell the truth, if Russia and the Baltic were exporting timber as they did in pre-war days, I do not think we would be able to sell Douglas fir at all."

A Durable Wood

The Pioneer sought the opinion of Mr. William Turnbull, Timber Commissioner for British Columbia, on the points raised by Messrs. Harding & Vick. "The interesting point in the interview," said Mr. Turnbull, "is that Messrs. Harding & Vick should quote the prejudices of the carpenter against the scientific facts brought out by the Timber Committee of the Imperial Institute."

"That Douglas fir is better adapted for interior than exterior work is a statement which makes a British Columbian smile. I can show you, in British Columbia, a house built of Douglas fir sixty odd years ago, which are as sound today as when they were built, and our coast climate is not surprising timber. The man who describes Douglas fir as wide-grained has surely seen very few Douglas fir logs. In these huge logs you will find wide rings at the heart, but naturally, the rings narrow down to a pin-head width as the circle widens. There is a very wide variety in the formation of Douglas fir, according to the conditions under which it grows."

For Beautiful Interiors

"They will not put it into concrete! Is this a test of the inherent qualities of any wood? I don't think so."

CANADIAN PULPWOOD MUST BE CONSERVED

Fact That Cut in States Is Now More Than Three Times Annual Growth Points Obvious Moral

The future of the news print industry in the United States depends in good measure on replenishing depleted pulp wood areas near the mills, according to the National Bank of Commerce in New York. Production of news print has been at a standstill for some years, and the economic effect of having to ship raw material over long distances is beginning to be felt.

"In the East where the principal mills are located, it has been estimated that present supplies of pulp wood will be exhausted within twenty or thirty years," the bank says in the September number of its magazine, Commerce. "Although by the extensive practice of reforestation the cut-over areas near the mills could within thirty or forty years be made available to the mills, the present consumption requirements of the United States."

"Already the pulp and paper mills of some states are importing more than half of their supply of raw material. While considerable quantities of pulp wood are imported into the United States from adjacent freehold lands of Canada, the news print manufacturing industry in the United States is beginning to feel the economic effect of having to ship raw material over long distances."

States' Enormous Demand

"More than eleven and a quarter billion copies of daily newspapers are now printed annually in the United States. The gravity of the position of the news print industry in the United States in relation to pulp wood supplies is emphasized by the fact that the production of news print in the United States for some years has been practically at a standstill, while production in Canada has trebled. Only two news print plants have been established in the United States since 1909."

"There are supplies of pulp wood in the United States and its possessions adequate to satisfy the requirements of the news print industry for years to come. These supplies, however, are in the Western States and in Alaska, while 90 per cent of the news print mills of the United States are in the Eastern States, which are also the main consuming centres. It is impracticable to ship pulp wood a long distance, since transportation costs rapidly diminish the margin of profits."

Conservation Needed

"Apparently the most feasible plan for protecting the source of raw material for the news print industry established in the Eastern and Lake States is to adopt a policy similar to that of many European countries in reforesting cut-over and waste areas and conserving present supply. More than 40,000,000 acres of potential forest lands accessible to the present established pulp and paper mills in the United States are now producing nothing. A production of one-third of a cord of pulp wood annually per acre on the waste areas would yield 20,000,000 cords, or three times the present consumption requirements in the United States."

"The annual cut in the United States is more than three times the annual growth since conservation and scientific forestry are practiced only in a limited way. The United States is the largest consumer of news print in the world, and since 1910 it has been a net importer of news print. News print consumption in 1913 was somewhat less than 1,500,000 tons, and in 1921 it approximated 2,000,000 tons. In 1922 production of news print in the United States will be about 1,400,000 tons."

"Canada is by far the principal source of supply of news print not manufactured in the United States. American capital has gone extensively into the development of news print plants near the sources of supplies of pulp wood in Canada. The rapid expansion of the industry in Canada has facilitated the installation of improved hydro-electric machinery, capable of turning out 1,000 feet of news print per minute. Such improved equipment renders obsolete many of the older and less efficient plants in the United States, which can be operated profitably only when there is a strong demand for news print. Prior to the war imports of news print from Canada averaged about 125,000 tons. By 1920 they had increased to 475,000 tons, and in 1921 totalled 657,000 tons."

"The development of the wood pulp and news print industry in North America, which now produces more news print than all the rest of the world, has been on an immense scale, and perhaps with more regard for immediate profits than for healthy future growth. In consequence of the partial exhaustion of raw materials, the industry in the United States has for some years been practically stationary, while in Canada abundant timber resources have facilitated rapid development. In both countries the industry in the past has developed on the exploitation of virgin resources. For its establishment on a more permanent basis in the future, a policy of conservation would seem to be necessary."

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Mrs. Helen Courtney, of 324 Broadway, Brooklyn, the woman in the case, married George Beck in March, 1905, she said. They lived together only seven days. Years passed and she believed Beck had died. In 1914 she married again. Mrs. Courtney asked the annulment of her marriage to Courtney on the ground that she was still the wife of Beck. Courtney made no opposition. Neither he nor Beck was in court. Justice Gannon granted the annulment.

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Turkish Hordes Menace Christendom

The smoking ruins of Smyrna, the shallow graves of a thousand slaughtered non-combatants, the call for help from scores of thousands of starving, homeless, war-crazed refugees, the presence of a victorious Turkish host across the Straits from Constantinople, are facts which in themselves compel a searching of hearts by American and Canadian editors to see whether any of the responsibility for what has happened may lie with us. And while these facts are terrible enough in themselves, there appears behind them, to many an editorial vision, the specters of Islamic "holy wars" against Christendom and a militant alliance of the outcast nations and the yellow races against what we call Western civilization.

Russian support of the Turkish Nationalist cause has been affirmed again and again in official pronouncements from Moscow. Once upon a time, after a defeat at the hands of allied Christian armies, a Turkish Sultan ordered this prayer to be recited at sunset in every mosque in the Ottoman Empire: "May the Angel of Discord, who has always been our ally, come again to our aid and confound our enemies." Whether or not the Sultan resides in Constantinople, no Turkish army should be permitted in Europe or within striking distance of the Straits, thinks The New York World.

The leading article in THE LITERARY DIGEST this week presents from many angles the ominous warning of another war revealed in the clash between Turkey on one side and Greece and Britain on the other, over the Dardanelles. It is accompanied by graphic cartoons and a map showing the location of all territory in dispute.

DO YOU WANT A LAUGH?

THERE ARE HUNDREDS of high-class motion picture theatres throughout the country, the managements of which have recognized the laugh-provoking qualities of The Literary Digest's new short reel, "FUN FROM THE PRESS," and are showing it weekly to delighted audiences. This is the only motion picture subject produced and sponsored by The Digest. The programme is changed weekly. When you attend the "movies" why not ask the manager when he is going to show "Fun From the Press"—or call up your favorite theatre on the 'phone. "Fun From the Press" is distributed by W. W. Hodgkinson Corporation.

Other Striking News-features in the "Digest" this week, Sept. 30th, are:

The Death of the Bonus Bill
Steps to Meet the Coal Shortage
Hard Times Strike Out
The Turk's Far-Reaching Victory
A Defence of Poland
Tribulations of the Telephone
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Ask Their Teachers

THE ENGLISH STAGE

By E. Montaigne

"East of Suez"

Mr. Somerset Maugham is already known as one of the most brilliant English playwrights. In "East of Suez" he shows versatility as well as genius; and as the play will probably have an abnormally long run, the great many Canadians will have the opportunity of seeing for themselves this wonderful stage picture of the beauty and color, leaving out the equalizer, of the present Peking Modern producers, as Mr. St. John Ervine has rather pathetically remarked, are apt to think that "East of Suez" is more important than either play or players. In "East of Suez" there is a happy team work, with the result that the audience go home feeling they have had a wonderful evening. In the matter of acting, the palm certainly goes to the decorative sex. Mr. Henry Kendall as Harold Knox, the volatile young civil servant, is uniformly excellent, and so is Mr. C. V. France, as the imperturbable Chinese lover, Lee Tai Cheng, by Mr. Malcolm Keen and Mr. Basil Rathbone, in the more difficult parts of the deceived husband, Henry Anderson, and the conscience-torn lover, George Conway, all too often tumble into the disastrous pitfall of appearing their lines with that illusion-destroying stage accent that I have so often deplored. In shining contrast is the magnificent work of Miss Meggie Albanesi, as Daisy, the Eurasian girl whose European speech and manners cover Oriental standards that end in catastrophic tragedy.

Mr. Maugham has woven his plot round a half-caste girl educated in England, deserted by Conway, her first lover, when he realizes the consequences to his career of an engagement, and then sold to Lee Tai Cheng by her unspeakable Chinese mother. She escapes to marry the blindly adoring Henry. Conway's beau friend, and at the same time, a very beautiful opening scene in Peking, the action of the play begins. The patient Chinese lover, and the minister mother, passed off as Daisy's amah, plot the husband's death, and Daisy listens. When the plot goes wrong and Conway is killed instead of Henry, Daisy takes the opportunity of his constancy in her house to allure him into treachery to his best friend. When Conway realizes the only way out of this impasse and takes it, the Eurasian sheds his European veneer and reverts to Chinese dress and customs, even as Lee Tai Cheng had predicted.

Daisy is a more emotional and acting part than any yet attempted by this young actress, who has had a phenomenal career since she woke to find herself famous after the first night of "The Bill of Divorcement."

In "East of Suez" she has to run through the whole gamut of human emotions, and she plays her part with such artistic feeling and restraint, that not once does an unnatural inflection or gesture jar upon her audience. In the part of the malignant Chinese mother, Canadians will be glad to hear that Miss Marie Ault has come into her own and made a big hit. Many of them have seen her play in France, where for some time during the war this clever actress formed one of Miss Lena Ashwell's theatrical touring companies. Mr. Basil Dean is responsible for the production of "East of Suez," and may be heartily congratulated on a play whose run will possibly rival that of Chu Chin Chow.

"Double or Quit" is a three-act farce which Mr. Donald Cathrop has just put on at the Aldwych in spite of the fact that "Tons of Money" will be transferred to this theatre in a month's time. The author, Mr. Theophilus Charlton, has not bothered about a novel plot or any subtlety in the development of his too obvious situations, but the dialogue is very amusing and the acting so good that the piece goes with a swing which should carry it to another theatre, if the cast are not too exhausted by their hard work at the end of their month's tenancy at the Aldwych. The brunt of the battle is borne by Mr. Robert Horton. His frenzied search for a wife, as the condition attached to a legacy, creates most of the fun. Mr. Horton is a versatile young man, for it is not so very long ago that he did a brilliant piece of work as the hero in Mrs. Heron.

Maxwell's play, "The Advocate," Mr. Cathrop, in the part of the scandalized father, Eric Lewis in the unaccustomed part of the butler; Frank Cellier, Arthur Eldred, Ruth Maitland, Gina Graves, all lived up to their reputations and played with a zest that evoked a hearty response from the audience.

Peer Contradicts Parson's Homily on Smokes and Sundays

It would appear to be the fate of Boy Scouts the world over to have to listen to good advice from their elders. In England the boys take it good-humoredly and patiently as all in the day's work. But recently a group of Scouts must have been perplexed, as well as amused, when the good advice from two speakers did not in the least agree. They had come in to Bedford to attend church. The vicar, the Rev. A. O. Cheney, addressed them. He warned them against smoking as "a dirty and disgusting habit."

He told them to remember to keep the Sabbath day holy and not to go about "making a noise and disturbing the villagers." (The boys had marched to church headed by bugles and drums.) Nor, he said, should anything be done on Sunday which entailed extra work for anyone. (The villagers had agreed to entertain the visiting Scouts to tea.) The vicar said he never entertained anyone on Sundays; people should stay at home on Sunday and help along the activities of the church.

After the service, Lord Amphil got his turn at the boys. He said that smoking had been helpful to some of the greatest men in the world. One of the wisest philosophers used to smoke like a chimney. But, of course, it wouldn't be right for small boys to smoke.

He always entertained his friends on Sunday, he said. He honored God by going to church Sunday morning, but afterward he sometimes did a bit of carpentry. The idea of Sunday, he told the boys, was that it should be a day of rest, which meant abstention from ordinary work. Manual labor on Sundays rested him rather more than anything else, because, during the week, he had to attend a good many meetings in hot, stuffy rooms. So long as they did not disturb the peace of their villages, they need have no compunctions in turning out on Sundays to pay a friendly compliment to a new troop.

One of the grownups suggested that the peer and the parson should hold a public discussion on the subject, the proceeds to be divided equally between the church and the Scouts.

YOUTHFUL BURGLAR GETS HEAVY SENTENCE

OTTAWA, Sept. 29.—Rene Marier, 17-year-old self-confessed burglar, drew five years here today. Among other things he stole liquor from cellars of two judges, one of the Supreme Court.

The percentage of unrecovered stolen automobiles in the United States is steadily increasing.

What a change a half-hour can make!

Spend half an hour with some faded fabrics, dingy draperies or passé wearing apparel—and SUNSET.

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AERIAL ATTACK HAS DRESS REHEARSAL

Old Battleship Agamemnon Subjected to Bomb by Four Airplanes

The aerial menace to the navy was given a full dress rehearsal recently when the old battleship Agamemnon was attacked by four different types of airplanes. A total of 230 dummy bombs were thrown from the air. Out of 43 dropped from close quarters, or point blank range, there were only three misses. At the 1,000 foot range there were blue direct hits and 232 misses. Nine pound smoke bombs were used. If war bombs containing high explosives had been used, the Agamemnon, experts say, would certainly have been very badly damaged if not actually sunk. The airplanes operated from a base 10 miles away.

One of the wonders of the demonstration was the behavior of the Agamemnon herself. She was under wireless control, directed from a destroyer. Without a human being on board she twisted and turned. Each speed varying from six to fifteen knots. Her fires were stoked with oil fuel and she maneuvered throughout a long day as if she had a full crew on board.

The attack gave a vivid impression of the danger that would beset a battleship that had no means of defense against attacks from the air.

The "snipers" were followed by six "camels"—machines of similar diminutive size—that swooped down on the Agamemnon, and when at a height of 1,000 feet started peppering her with machine-gun fire.

According to experts, if the test did not prove that a battleship was entirely at the mercy of attacks from the air, it did show the necessity of providing an ample force of fighters and bombing machines to defend the fleet from such attacks.

Cost of Preparation
During the experiments the deck of the light cruiser Canterbury, carrying foreign naval attaches, naval experts and newspaper men, became temporarily the floor of an animated debating society, says The Daily News.

There was one point on which everyone appeared to be agreed; that the development of the airplane would not make naval warfare cheaper by leading to the abolition of the battleship, but would make it more expensive by adding to its complexity. There was evidence of the necessity of having more airplanes for coast defense.

"All this means," said one enthusiast, "is that the poor old taxpayer will have to put his hand still deeper into his pockets."

That was the general view. The subject was covered by a naval officer, who said:

"As far as the navy is concerned, the development of the airplane is merely a repetition of the development of the submarine. In both cases there is quick development and then a halt. The battleship confronts another menace; steps will be taken to meet it."

"No doubt the thickness of the deck will be increased and personnel will be better protected from attack from above. No doubt, too, the airplane, like the submarine, will score successes. An occasional battleship will be sunk. But to suggest that the airplane can make the battleship obsolete—I'm afraid the taxpayer can look for no relief in that direction."

ROB PAYMASTER NEAR CITY HALL

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Hastings Street. Returning we came by street car, carrying a black satchel containing the money. Following our usual practice, we rode on the car to the corner of Main and Pender, so as to make a short walk to the Pender Street entrance of the city hall.

"When we were within twenty-five or thirty feet of the entrance, a big Hudson car came tearing down Pender from Main. The brakes were jammed on and the car skidded several feet before coming to a stop. Three men jumped out. All were masked and all carried guns."

"The largest man of the three brandished a gun at me and yelled: 'Drop that bag, you—'

"Three Feet of Door
"I did not drop the bag and all three men then fired into the ground. I made a desperate attempt to reach the city hall with the three men surrounding Schooley and myself. I was within three feet of the door when one of the men hit me on the jaw, felling me. I suppose I must then have dropped the bag, because when I came to, it and the bandits had disappeared."

After leaving the city hall the robbers sped westward along Pender to Beatty where they turned south. The police say they have a definite clue to the identity of the robbers. Employees of the city hall report seeing three strange-looking men hanging about the corridors about half-past nine this morning. It is thought that these were the robbers who, after making sure that the officials had left for the bank, went and got their car.

The car used in the holdup is owned by the Angelus Auto Livery, the proprietor of which, Tony Calabro, and his brother, Robert, have been arrested. Both men denied knowledge of the robbery, stating that the motor was hired on the "drive yourself plan" to a young man, whom they do not know except by sight. He signed the name "Fred Wells" to the contract.

The exact amount taken by the bandits was \$74,294. Most of it was in bills of small denomination.

One Man Identified
With the announcement tonight by Chief of Police James Anderson of the identification of one of the three bandits as Fred Wells, 27, the man who hired the car used in the holdup, the entire organization of the police department was turned to a man hunt of what is said to be the boldest and most daring robbery permitted in Vancouver. According to the police, identification of Wells was made by Calabro, the man who rented him the car and who the police say picked out Wells' photograph from the "rogues gallery" at the police station. Further verification of the identity of the man was made possible by comparing the signature of Wells on the rental contract given to Calabro and the signature of the man on the police records. Both corresponded. Police records of Wells date back to 1918.

Every Avenue Watched
Immediately following the robbery every available police officer was placed on duty and dispatched along all highways leading out of the city. A car traveling at high speed was seen going south on Oak Street towards the Fraser River, and on the assumption that the bandits had crossed to Lulu Island the hunt for the men was taken up there. The police patrol boat was placed on duty off the mouth of the Fraser River and Point Roberts, to head off any suspicious craft, while officers are on the countryside between the city and the international boundary in hope of locating the bandits.

Up to a late hour the robbers had not been apprehended. Unless the police recover the stolen money it will be a dead loss to the city as not a cent of protection against loss of robbery of this character was carried off, officers say.

The robbery was spectacular and

TO HOLDERS OF FIVE YEAR 5½ per cent Canada's Victory Bonds

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THE MINISTER OF FINANCE offers to holders of these bonds who desire to continue their investment in Dominion of Canada securities the privilege of exchanging the maturing bonds for new bonds bearing 5½ per cent interest, payable half yearly, of either of the following classes:—

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This offer is made to holders of the maturing bonds and is not open to other investors. The bonds to be issued under this proposal will be substantially of the same character as those which are maturing, except that the exemption from taxation does not apply to the new issue.

W. S. FIELDING,
Minister of Finance.

Dated at Ottawa, 8th August, 1922.

TURK DEFIANCE ANGERS BRITISH

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the Nationalist forces. No time limit has been fixed to the demand for withdrawal.

According to the official view here at the coming meeting between General Harrington and Mustafa Kemal Pasha, nothing will be discussed but actual military matters; it is intended to clear up any misunderstanding arising from the Kemalists charges of aggression. It will be contended that the British operations are necessary and justifiable, but not hostile.

It was stated there had been no communication with the French Government regarding the demands for the withdrawal of the Turkish troops, but that the French were a party to the note to Kemal with respect to the neutral zone.

Marmora Sea Neutral
There have been reports today that the Turks might be allowed to cross into Thrace in return for the evacuation of the Kemalists of the whole of the neutral zone. These reports meet with little credence in London, but, according to the Associated Press correspondent in Constantinople, there is talk there of the Greeks being asked to evacuate Eastern Thrace by October 10, thus permitting the Turks to enter the region by way of ports on the Sea of Marmora. The view in official circles here tonight was that as the Sea of Marmora has been declared neutral the Greek fleet can operate there and effectively prevent the Turks from crossing.

Malta dispatches received in London report that the British fleet in the Dardanelles and the British army at Chanak are being constantly reinforced.

BRITISH LEADER KNOWN LOCALLY

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Judge of character, with a charming manner and a personality that made everyone under his command absolutely devoted to him."

First Chief of Staff
General Harrington was the first chief of staff of the Canadian army corps, under General Alderson, and assisted in directing the movements of the Dominion troops when they clashed with the German hordes in September, 1915, and during subsequent months. He also served under Baron Byng, leaving his command to accept the post of chief of staff of the Second Army Corps. He was with General Plumer in Italy, among those on the staff at that time being Colonel Mitchell, of Toronto, who left the Canadians to become intelligence officer of General Plumer's organization.

Many of the engagements in which the Canadians participated were planned by Tim Harrington.

"He looked more like a student or university professor than a soldier," a Victoria officer stated. "And he was

a student to the extent that he found satisfaction only in studying military strategy and planning new campaigns. He worked from morning until late at night; in fact, often toiled through until the morning. Time and again he was cautioned to take things easier, but he would only smile and plunge in all the harder. In spite of the tremendous strain at which he worked, the war apparently had no effect on his energy and ability to throw his whole self into the solution of staggering military problems. The Dardanelles situation is enough to test any man's strength and judgment, but I'll wager that Tim Harrington is enjoying every minute of it these days, and will make a good job of it if he has an opportunity."

Has Sense of Humor
General Harrington is described as very tall, with a fair moustache and blue eyes. Although he can be very serious on occasion, he has a keen sense of humor, and possesses the sort of personality that not only wins but holds friends. He is always aggressive, but in a quiet way, and in his maneuvering with fellow officers regarding army matters invariably he won his point against severe odds without at the same time giving those disputing his arguments a sense that they had lost. There is much of the diplomat in him, but he is typically a fighter. During the war, when General Harrington, as chief of staff of the Second British Army, planned the brilliant stroke which made that army world famous, experts frequently remarked that he was fully competent to be commander-in-chief of the British expeditionary forces, should occasion arise.

He is fifty years old, served on the British staff in the South African war, and was mentioned in dispatches twice, receiving the decoration of D.S.O. He served throughout the European war, and following the armistice was deputy chief of the Imperial General Staff. He was given the command of the Allied forces about the Black Sea in 1920.

MACDONALD IS PRESIDENT AGAIN

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to develop an iron industry, though there were a number of Coast delegates to argue that such an industry was not feasible on any large scale for want of a market.

Artistic Landowners
Without word of the fiery discussion of the morning on the Oriental question the convention passed a resolution offered by ex-Mayor Gale, of Vancouver, demanding immediate negotiations with the Federal Government to securing legislation to prohibit alienation of Asiatic origin acquiring any freehold title to lands or natural resources.

Kenneth Campbell, member-elect for Nelson, piloted a resolution that asked for increased compensation payments to disabled workmen and a house committee to inquire into the act with a view to widening the scope of the board.

Equal Jury Rights
Equal rights of women on jury panels, asked for by the lady delegates, was the basis of a merry battle in which the mere men opponents were overwhelmed.

A committee appointed at the secret session of the morning to go into the matter of Liberal propaganda through the press, existing and to be established, is to be continued, and it will proceed with its work in co-operation with the executive.

M. A. Macdonald, K.C., received an ovation on his unanimous nomination to the presidency of the association, which hereafter is to have annual conventions of which the first will be next summer, in Vancouver.

Officers Elected
The officers were named as follows:

Honorary president, Right Hon. W. L. Mackenzie King; honorary vice-president, Hon. John Oliver; president, M. A. Macdonald, K.C., Vancouver; first vice-president, Mrs. Ralph Smith, Vancouver; second vice-president, A. L. Fisher, K.C., Fernie; treasurer, C. D. McNab, K.C., Vernon; Eastern Interior, Noble Blinn, Trail; Provincial executive members at large, E. P. Dawson, Nelson; D. McPherson, Grand Forks; Dr. K. C. Macdonald, Vernon; Fred Dawson, Prince Rupert.

Unveiling Tablet—A copper tablet inscribed with the names of the boys of the Reformed Episcopal Church who gave their lives during the Great War will be unveiled at the morning service to be held on Sunday, October 8, in the church. This tablet has been made and is being donated by the father of one of the men who lost his life in France during the war, this son having attended the Church of Our Lord while he was stationed here with his regiment.

CRIME OF PASSION DURING GREAT WAR IS AVENGED AT LAST

The German account of the crime for which Baron Nikoll von Gageren and Prince zu Stolberg have just been condemned to death by a Belgian court was published in Berlin recently. It is one of the most hideous tales of the war.

Between December, 1914, and March, 1915, Baron von Gageren, together with other officers of the staff of his regiment, lived in the chateau of Baron d'Udekem l'Aas, near Bruges.

Baron von Gageren fell madly in love with the Baroness d'Udekem. He sought an excuse for putting her husband out of the way, in the hope that he might persuade her to marry him. He decided to pick a quarrel with the husband and challenge him to a duel. He found an excuse in the fact that the Belgian had told him that there were no arms in the chateau, whereas arms were afterwards discovered there.

He took Prince zu Stolberg into his confidence, and together they went to a retired part of the forest surrounding the chateau, where he had asked the owner to meet him. Baron

d'Udekem kept the appointment, and his German rival offered him a revolver, and according to the statement of his German rival, he was told that they must fight a duel until one of them was killed.

Baron d'Udekem, who was a Catholic, refused. Prince zu Stolberg refused and left the two together. The Belgian continued to refuse to fight, until at last the German said, "I will count 1, 2, 3. If you have not fired at 3, I shall fire at you."

The Belgian did not fire, and the German shot him dead. He and his friend took a spade which they had brought in their motor car, and dug a grave, in which they placed Baron d'Udekem.

This was afterwards discovered, and Baron von Gageren was condemned by a German military court to expulsion from the army and 15 years' penal servitude. The prince was condemned to six months' imprisonment in a fortress.

Both of them regained their liberty by an amnesty. The prince is dead and Baron von Gageren is living abroad.

Court of Appeals
VANCOUVER, Sept. 29.—The court of appeals will sit at the court house Tuesday morning. There are twenty-three cases on the list.



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BIRTHS, MARRIAGES, DEATHS

BIRTHS

FLINTER—On the 28th September, at Victoria, British Columbia, a daughter, Mrs. Mervyn Flinter, a daughter.

DEATHS

SHADPOUR—At 1111 West 10th Street, Nanaimo, the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Mervyn Flinter, a daughter.

FUNERAL DIRECTORS

BARTON—On September 28th, at the Jubilee Hospital, Port Augusta, South Australia, the late Mr. J. Barton, aged 85, late of late Canadian forces.

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ELSMITH—In loving memory of my dear friend, Mrs. J. Elsmith, who died at Victoria, B.C., on September 28th, 1922.

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Floralist—Telegraph Delivery—Assisting can carry your floral order in the morning or in the afternoon, a birthday or anniversary gift, a funeral home, can be arranged with flowers ordered direct by you.

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Feature of Foreign Exchange Market Yesterday—Near Eastern News Forced New Low Level

NEW YORK, Sept. 29.—(Bear) traders conducted another successful attack against prices in today's early stock market, using the unfavorable overnight news in the Near Eastern situation and the abandonment of the Republic-Midvale-Inland Steel merger as an excuse for their assault.

Prices were forced down to new low levels on the current reaction before the shorts ran into substantial buying power, and the extent of this caused a scramble to cover, starting a rally which carried a number of issues well above yesterday's closing figures.

The Steel Merger

Indications that the abandonment of the steel merger was expected in the financial community were seen in the sharp drop in Republic, which was carried down 4-1/4 points before recovery set in, the net loss for the day being 3-1/2 points. Midvale offered a little more resistance to selling pressure, losing only two points.

U.S. Common, Bethlehem "B," Vanadium, Crucible and Steel were weak in sympathy, but all rallied after United States Steel registering a small fractional gain for the day.

Call money opened and renewed at 4-1/4 per cent, advanced to 5 in the early afternoon, holding at that figure until the close.

Time money continued quiet with no appreciable changes in rates, but there was a good demand for commercial paper.

The feature of the foreign exchange market was the quoting of the Canadian dollar at a premium.

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Vancouver Island

SUPERINTENDENT RETIRES

Langford People Vote Thanks of Community to Mr. G. D. Sloan, Who Is Leaving District

LANGFORD, Sept. 29.—By the kindness of Mrs. Soucher, a meeting regarding the Sunday school proposition was held in the Langford Hall last evening. The retiring superintendent, Mr. G. D. Sloan, expressed pleasure at having been able to assist in his excellent work, and also his sorrow at being obliged to leave the district, which does not allow him to continue in the work. Mr. H. Pearce, who has had considerable experience in this department, has kindly undertaken the position of superintendent, assisted by Mr. Charles Harding. Miss Isabel Thom will act as secretary for the time being. The present secretary having resigned. Mrs. J. C. Brown will kindly officiate at the piano. Mrs. Brown, in proposing a vote of thanks to Mr. Sloan, was seconded by Mrs. H. A. Hinton, who remarked that the place filled by Mr. and Mrs. Sloan in Langford would not easily be filled, and expressed the gratitude of the community to the usefulness of the work which the school teachers attend to this work every Sunday. A vote of thanks was passed to Mrs. Soucher for the use of the hall, and also to the Women's Institute for the use of the piano.

Sunday school classes will be held every Sunday at 2 o'clock sharp in the hall, and it is hoped that all who can will attend.

Bible classes will be held for the older people, and teachers are needed for the great work.

PORT ALBERNI

PORT ALBERNI, Sept. 28.—Mrs. Thomas Collins, of Ladysmith, who has been visiting at Ramfield and who has spent the last few weeks as the guest of Mr. and Mrs. F. H. Stead, returned by this morning's train to her home in Ladysmith.

The P.A.A. dance that is to be held in the G.W.V.A. Hall on Friday next promises to be a great success.

Number of side shows and novelties have been introduced on the programme, with guessing and other competitions, for which prizes have been donated. The following business houses have donated prizes: A. D. MacIntyre, C. Fawcett, F. Bishop & Son, Pine Bros., H. B. Jackson, F. G. Cox, Hub Bakery, W. H. Deane, A. W. Prior, A. I. Bird, Mrs. Bird, Alberni Hardware Co., Waterhouse & Greene, Henry Cox, J. Clegg, F. G. Weaver, Campbell & Macfie, Faine & Dapson, E. Homewood, Geo. Shead and Somers Hotel.

Dr. E. E. Cook, of New Westminster, has arrived here to take up his residence, and has arranged to open dental offices in the Carmoer Block immediately.

Mr. J. H. Falconer, liquor commissioner, arrived in town last night for an inspection of the local Government stores.

Extensive alterations and improvements are being made to the plant of the shingle mill at foot of Arxill Street, purchased recently by the Alberni Shingle Co., from the Standard Bank. A supply of bolts has been received from the logging contractors and cutting operations will commence on Monday next.

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MRS. SHATFORTH, OF NANAIMO, PASSES AWAY

Wife of Vancouver Pilot Succumbs After Long Illness—Was Native Daughter.

NANAIMO, Sept. 29.—The death occurred this morning at the home of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Morgan, Nicol Street, of Hettie, wife of Captain R. Shatforth, of the Vancouver pilot. Death was the result of illness contracted in 1917, during the time her husband and brother were serving at the front. The late Mrs. Shatforth was a native daughter of Nanaimo, 25 years of age, and was a most popular member of the Eastern Star Lodge and also of the Nanaimo Daughters. Besides her husband, she leaves to mourn her loss her parents, Mr. and Mrs. T. Morgan; one sister, Grace, residing at home; and three brothers, Dr. A. D. Morgan, Albert, Mark H. Vancouver, and Frank, of this city.

PRESENTATION MADE AT MAYNE ISLAND

Mr. Henry Georgeson Receives Medal From Marine Department for Long and Faithful Service

MAYNE ISLAND, Sept. 28.—On Tuesday last a most interesting presentation took place at Mayne Island, when residents gathered at the wharf to witness the presentation to Mr. Henry Georgeson of the Imperial Medal, given by the Federal Department of Marine and Fisheries for long and efficient service. Mr. Georgeson, who for years has charge of the lighthouse at Point Comfort, Mayne Island, has many friends who will rejoice to hear of the signal honor that has been awarded him. The presentation was made by Mr. C. H. Dickie, M.P.

SALE OF WORK PLANNED

Metchoin Women's Auxiliary Arranges Sale of Forthcoming Event in Aid of Society

METCHOIN, Sept. 29.—That a sale of work shall be held at the Metchoin Hall on November 30, was decided at the monthly meeting of the Metchoin branch of the Women's Auxiliary, which was held at the home of Mrs. H. R. Brown yesterday afternoon.

The meeting was opened by the president, Mrs. W. Arden, with prayer, and after the usual curriculum of business had been attended to, the statement was given of the gross proceeds of the garden party, which was held on the grounds of Mrs. J. M. Rising in July, amounting to \$35.

The conveners of the sale of work already mentioned were appointed, these being: Home cooking, Mrs. W. Witty, sewing and fancy work, Mrs. W. Arden; fish pond, Mrs. Peter Coomber; afternoon teas, Mrs. E. Comley, and tea cream and candy, in charge of the Junior W.A.

The sale of plum puddings and Christmas cakes will be a special feature of the afternoon.

Metchoin Arden and Brown were deputed to buy material for the purpose of the dressmaking, and sewing meetings will be held fortnightly until the end of November.

Closing prayers were then read, and the meeting adjourned to partake of afternoon tea.

GARDEN CITY W.I.

The monthly meeting of the Garden City Women's Institute will be held in the Marjold Hall on Thursday, October 5, at 2:30 p.m. promptly.

Mrs. Schofield has kindly promised to speak on social work. All ladies of the district will be welcomed to this meeting. On Monday, October 2, at 7:30 p.m., Mrs. Lucas, superintendent of the Saanich War Memorial Health Centre, will conduct a class in home nursing for all ladies who wish to take the course. The term consists of ten lessons, a small fee, to be devoted to Health Centre funds, being charged.

NANAIMO NEWS NOTES

NANAIMO, Sept. 29.—In the County Court yesterday Judge Harte gave judgment against the defendant in the sum of \$50, when Frank Morgan charged Wm. Ritchie with having shot a dog belonging to complainant. The defence was that the dog had killed poultry owned by Mr. Ritchie.

In the police court yesterday morning before Magistrate Reeder, Fotts, two charges of violation under the Game Act were brought by Game Warden Marshall. A sixteen-year-old boy residing at Langsville was charged with carrying a .22 calibre rifle without a licence. The rifle was ordered confiscated. A Japanese resident of Nanaimo was charged with hunting with an automatic shotgun. The gun was plugged, and the magistrate held that the act had not been violated, and accordingly dismissed the case.

Mr. C. E. J. Millin has purchased the business of the Nanaimo Marble Works from Mr. Alex. Henderson, who for the past quarter century has conducted the establishment.

The Ancient Order of Foresters, Court Nanaimo, Foresters' Home and Court Program, are arranging for a three months' programme, in order to interest members and friends during the coming winter months. On October 2 a dance will be given and refreshments served; on November 3 a splendid concert will be given, and in December a bazaar will be held.

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ROUMANIA MAKES DEMANDS OF RUSSIA

Wants Claims on Bessarabia Abandoned Before Entering Baltic Disarmament Conference

MOSCOW, Sept. 29.—Roumania's demands that soviet Russia abandon her claims upon Bessarabia before Roumania would agree to participate in the Moscow disarmament conference have been absolutely rejected by the soviet in a note sent to Bucharest. Acting Foreign Minister Karakhan, in his announcement, says Roumania is in the neighboring country which has not consented to the Baltic States and Poland to discuss disarmament and owing to this fact soviet Russia will hold Roumania responsible for any difficulties which may be encountered in the arrangements for the disarmament programme.

Education Needs to Be Conference Aim

TORONTO, Sept. 29.—At the meeting of the local committee of the National Council of Education here last night, Dr. Leslie Pidgeon, of Winnipeg, made his proposals for the conference on education and citizenship to be held in Toronto, next April.

It was decided to proceed at once with arrangements for the conference and to invite Sir Henry Newbolt, Sir Michael Sadler, of Leeds University, and Sir Robert Baden-Powell, to participate.

The objects of this conference are to impress on the people of Canada the great importance of education, to clarify the views of the public on the real objective in Canadian education, and to put on a permanent basis the great work undertaken at the Winnipeg conference in 1919.

Major F. K. Ney, secretary of the National Conference, will complete arrangements for the conference.

STRIKE OF TRAMWAY MEN IS AVERTED

LONDON, Sept. 29.—The threatened strike of tramway men throughout the country is for the moment averted, and there seems good reason to believe that a durable peace may be found in the negotiations now going on. A settlement has been arrived at providing for the retention of a modified form of a sliding scale of wages which the employers wished to abolish.

According to this scale, the present rate of wages would be reduced by one penny a week, and the future adjustments would be made in February next, or be determined by the cost of living at the time.

THREE CHILDREN DIE IN BURNING BARN

TORONTO, Sept. 29.—Three children were burned to death when a barn owned by Ignat Rirovi caught fire today. The dead are: Nick Rirovi, aged 4; Walter Lisun, aged 4; Joseph Lisun, aged 4. The boys were playing with matches and their parents did not know they were in the barn. A neighbor released every one of a flock of poultry from the barn, but heard no sound of the boys.

Locomotive Men Killed

LITTLE FALLS, N.Y., Sept. 29.—A freight locomotive on the West Shore Railway exploded here today killing Engineer John Caldwell and Fireman G. H. Brown, both of Syracuse, and brakeman H. R. Baxter, of Albany, N.Y.

NEW GYMNASIUM IS FORMALLY OPENED

St. Michael's School Adds Important Building to Equipment—Many Visitors Inspect Hall.

The opening of a new gymnasium and changing room were special features in connection with St. Michael's School celebration of Michael's Day yesterday. In the morning the Very Rev. Dean Quinlan conducted services in the new hall, in the afternoon St. Michael's boys' basketball team played a game with the boys of the Old Boys' club, and in the evening there was a dance, which concluded a busy day's programme.

The new gymnasium, which is a distinct asset to the school, was the outcome of Mr. Symons' oft-expressed hope that some day the institution would be able to make such an addition to its equipment.

Five of the Old Boys' club members themselves a committee to get the required funds, and in due course, with the assistance of former students and friends of the school, the necessary finances were found and the building completed. With a floor space measuring 50x75 feet, it is completely equipped with ladders and ropes, rings, horses, parallel bars, Roman rings, Indian clubs, boxing gloves, etc., and classes are already being held under the direction of the two games masters, Messrs. M. Money and Vulliamy.

Thirteen windows provide light during the day and also ventilation, and big electric lights have been fitted in roof and walls so that the hall can be used at night as well.

The new hall donated a more festive appearance for the reception held in the afternoon from 3 to 5 o'clock, when more than one hundred of the boys' parents and friends called. Mr. and Mrs. Symons received their guests and conducted them over the new buildings, including an annex to the gymnasium which comprises changing room, shower bath, etc., and which Mr. Symons had added to the plans after the extension was decided upon.

Miss Thain's two-piece orchestra provided the music for the dance in the evening. This brought parents and Old Boys and friends together in the happiest circumstances, and the new gymnasium, prettily decorated with flowers, was utilized to its uses as school ballroom.

STATE CO-OPERATION WITH DOMINIONS

First Impulse to Development of Empire's Resources Must Be Given by Government, Says Speaker

LONDON, Sept. 29.—Speaking at a luncheon last night of the British Passenger Agents' Association, Col. L. C. Amery, Secretary to the Board of Admiralty, spoke highly of the future of imperial emigration. He pointed out that the main work of developing the Empire's resources must always be carried out by private enterprise, but the first impulse had to be given by the state. That was now being done by co-operative efforts between the United Kingdom and the Dominions. He regarded the United States immigration regulations as a serious menace to British shipping, but Britain could build new trade to redress that handicap within the Dominions.

Emigration Schemes

The speaker mentioned that the Government had no intention of overlooking the service which could be rendered to emigration schemes by the passenger agents, and the last thing he wished to do was to "freeze out" the agents.

Lord Burnham was also present, and emphasized that Great Britain was not going back to the day when people thought only of the exploitation of colonial resources. The day of co-operation had now begun.

AUSTRALIA READY WITH AN ARMY AS LARGE AS TURKS'

LONDON, Sept. 29.—After a cabinet meeting today, Premier Hughes of Australia, pointed out that Australia in the Great War put a larger army in the field than the Turks could now muster, according to an Exchange Telegraph dispatch from Melbourne.

The Premier said: "We shall do so again if the necessary arises. It is well for Mustafa Kemal Pasha to remember this. We want the Turks to have a fair field, but if war comes, the Turkish Nationalist leader must not forget what Australia's entry means."

Premier Hughes said that the Australian government had been kept fully posted regarding the Near East situation. The Australian cabinet, he said, was satisfied that Great Britain was using every means to avoid war. He then added: "If war begins it is bound to extend to Russia and the East, menacing the Empire."

NEED REPUBLIC, SAYS GREEK VENIZELIST

New King Very Much Like His Father, Says General to Interviewer

PARIS, Sept. 29.—"What we need in Greece is a republic like you have in America," said General Paraskevas, Greek commander-in-chief under the Venizelos regime, interviewed here by a representative of the Paris edition of The New York Herald.

"The people of Greece will never be satisfied to be governed by foreigners," he added. As to the new king, George, the general would not speculate on the possible effect of his accession to the throne, but he said: "As I knew Prince George, he was very much like his father in sympathies."

ILL HEALTH REASON SULTAN SEEKS CHANGE

Abdication Not Yet Accomplished, But Ready to Give Up Throne In Favor of Cousin.

PARIS, Sept. 29.—The abdication of Mohammed VI, Sultan of Turkey, is not yet accomplished, but the Sultan has expressed the desire to abdicate in favor of his cousin, according to a telegram received from the Ankara correspondent of the Havas Agency, who attributes the news to a Constantinople dispatch to Ankara.

The dispatch further states that the Sultan's state of health prevents him from attending to the affairs of the Empire. In Ankara parliamentary circles the news is considered as correct.

A Havas Agency dispatch from Constantinople yesterday said the Sultan had abdicated in favor of the heir apparent, Prince Abdul Medjid Effendi, the Sultan's cousin, but added that the news was not confirmed.

The Special Meeting Arranged by the Central Committee of the Women's Institutes of Saanich

attended by the following representatives from the local institutes, Mrs. H. Lawrie and Mrs. Nimmo, of the South Saanich, and Mrs. S. Fox, of the West Saanich Women's Institutes. An excellent address on the subject of federation was delivered by Mr. Laing, who covered all the points in an able manner and helped to prepare the way for the discussion of this subject when it comes up at the forthcoming conference.

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SPUN SILK BLOUSES

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Girls' Dresses and Skirts at Moderate Prices

Navy Serge Skirts, made with permanent pleats and with bodice of strong white cotton. Sizes for the ages of 2 to 13 years. Priced according to size, \$3.75 to **\$5.50**
Girls' Pleated Colored Skirts, with bodice attached, and in shades of navy and brown stripes and plaids. Sizes for 10 to 15 years. At, \$5.95 to **\$6.75**
Girls' English Made Jumper Dresses, with three box pleats and designed to button on the shoulder with two buttons and finished at waist with girdle of wide braid. Sizes for the ages of 7 to 13. Priced according to size at \$4.75 to **\$6.75**
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Bargains on Lower Main Floor

Mahogany Candlesticks, neatly turned and designed and well polished. With candle complete at **95¢**
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Sirloin Tip Roasts at, lb, 23c and **17¢**
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Legs of Milk Fed Local Veal, at 6 to 8 lbs, at, lb, **24¢**
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Men's Fine Shirts, in cord stripes of light, fancy designs, blue, mauve and black. They are made with starch collar band, soft double cuffs, and have one separate soft collar to match. At, each **\$2.50**



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